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CHICAGO.

The Dedication of Its Great Auditorium To-night.

Cincinnati Market Woman Murdered for Her Money.

Large Commission Firm Fails for Half a Million.

Edmund Bell, a Prominent Citizen of Redding, Drowned.

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CHICAGO'S GREAT AUDITORIUM.

President Harrison Will Be Present at the Dedication.

CHICAGO, December 9.—President Harrison and party arrived here this morning to participate in the dedication of the great auditorium building this evening.

He was met at the outskirts of the city by a committee of prominent citizens, headed by the Mayor.

This afternoon they held a reception at the Union League Club.

THE BRAZILIAN REVOLUTION.

Dom Pedro's Narrow Escape From Bloodthirsty Students.

LISBON, December 9.—It is stated that the greater portion of the higher officers of the Brazilian army are monarchists and that they joined the republican minority in the recent outbreak in Brazil under the belief that the demonstration was to be merely against the Ministers and not against the Empire. They only became aware of the true facts when they had gone too far to retract their steps.

When the revolution started thousands of students armed themselves with revolvers, rifles and swords and threatened to kill the Emperor and family. A boat manned by students patrolled the harbor, it having been their intention to intercept the Emperor while he was embarking and do him some injury.

HEAVY FAILURE.

A New York Commission Firm Goes Under for Half a Million.

NEW YORK, December 9.—Whitney & Co., dry goods and commission merchants at 73 Worth street, assigned today. Their failure, it is thought, will amount to $500,000.

It caused considerable excitement in the dry goods district, although it was not exactly unexpected.

The assets are expected to make a good showing for the creditors. The cause of the failure was a great number of outstanding accounts which could not be collected.

IRISH HATE.

The Cause of the Damaging Testimony Against the Cronin Suspects.

CHICAGO, December 9.—Forrest resumed his argument on behalf of the defense in the Cronin case this morning. He first dwelt on the danger of relying implicitly on circumstantial evidence. Then he took up the quarrel between the Cronin and the anti-Cronin factions of the Clan-na-Gael and claimed it was Irish hate which was furnishing the remarkable evidence against the prisoners.

STABBED TO DEATH.

A Cincinnati Woman Murdered for Her Property.

CINCINNATI, December 9.—Bridget Byrne, a market woman with some property, was stabbed to death last night.

Before dying she said John Smith, her near neighbor, did it.

Smith has been arrested. The murder was for the purpose of robbery.

EDMUND BELL DROWNED.

While Trying to Make a Float Bridge on Cotton Wood Creek.

REDDING, Cal., December 9.—Edmund Bell, a well known mining man, and a brother of Superior Judge Bell, was drowned near Sunny Hill on Sunday.

He was engaged in replacing a foot bridge across the north fork of Cottonwood creek. He fell into the water and the current took him down stream.

The body has not yet been recovered.

The Northern Pacific Terminus.

DULUTH, December 9.—Word comes from New York that Jay Cooke's old plans regarding the Northern Pacific will be carried out and this city made the principal terminus of the road.

Mrs. Scott Lord Ill.

WASHINGTON, December 9.—Mrs. Scott Lord, sister of Mrs. Harrison, is reported in a critical condition this afternoon.

IDAHO AND WYOMING.

A Bill Introduced in the Senate to Admit Them as States.

McKenna, Morrow and Clunie Appointed Members of Important Committees.

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SENATE.

WASHINGTON, December 9.—A large number of petitions and memorials were presented in the Senate today and referred to the appropriate committees. A large number of bills were also introduced, among them bills providing for the admission of Idaho and Wyoming Territories into the Union.

Henderson offered a preamble and resolution (which was agreed to) instructing the Committee on Agriculture to report on the subject of the production of sugar from beets in the United States and what legislation, if any, will be necessary and desirable to promote and accelerate the industry in this country.

The Senate then proceeded to the consideration of executive business and at 2:10 o'clock adjourned till tomorrow.

HOUSE COMMITTEES.

Ways and Means, Appropriations, Elections and Mileage.

WASHINGTON, December 9.—McKinley has been appointed chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, Cannon chairman of the Appropriations Committee, and Kelly chairman of the Manufacturer's Committee. The Ways and Means Committee is now as follows: McKinley, Burrows, Payne, Dingley, McKenna, Payne, LaFollette, Grout, Carlisle, Mills, McMillan, Breckenridge (Arkansas), and Flower.

The Committee on Appropriations is Cannon, Butterworth, McCormas, Henderson (Iowa), Peters, Coggswell, Belden, Morrow, Brewer (Michigan), Randall, Forney, Sayres, Breckenridge (Kentucky), and Dockery.

The Committees on Elections and Mileage were also appointed. On Elections: Rowell, Houk, Cooper, Hausen, Sherman, Dalzell, Bergen, Greenhalge, Comstock, Crisp, O'Farrell, Outhwaite, Maish, Moore (Texas) and Wike (Illinois).

On Mileage: Lind, Townsend (Pa.), Wallace (Mass.), Clunie and Pennington.

In the prayer this morning the Chaplain referred to the death of Jefferson Davis and quoted Lincoln's words: "With malice toward none; with charity for all."

Cannon, of Illinois, from the Committee on Rules, reported a resolution authorizing the Speaker to appoint standing and select committees of the House. Adopted.

Payne of New York introduced a bill defining the duties of the Sergeant-at-Arms. It adds to his present duties those of Disbursing Officer, with bond of $50,000. Referred.

A number of resolutions were introduced and referred, after which the Speaker surprised a majority of the members by the appointment of several standing committees.

Adjourned until Wednesday.

VIEWING THE REMAINS.

Over Sixty Thousand People Gazed on the Dead Leader's Face Yesterday.

Great Preparations for the Funeral in New Orleans—Nearly Every Building in the City Draped.

NEW ORLEANS, December 9.—The city is filling with strangers, and the morning trains are bringing in veterans from most of the Southern States.

The display during the obsequies will be the most imposing ever seen in the South.

Military companies from Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee and Georgia will be represented.

The guards are still on duty at the City Hall. By actual count 4000 people viewed the body between 10 and 11 o'clock this morning.

Fully 20,000 persons viewed the remains on Sunday.

The work of decorating private and public buildings goes on. By Wednesday almost the entire city will be in a mourning dress.

All places of amusement, business houses, banks, etc., will be closed on Wednesday.

The funeral will take place at noon. Every organization in the city will participate.

It has been arranged to take place from the balcony of the municipal buildings. The public may witness the entire ceremony from Lafayette square.

Killed for Being Noisy.

NEW YORK, December 9.—This morning James Gibson was shot and killed by an Italian named Mark Cheebo. Gibson drank and raised a disturbance in the neighborhood of Cheebo's house.

Market Reports.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 9.—Wheat is weak. Buyer, season, $1 35¾; buyer, '89, $1 27½. Barley is easier. Buyer, season, 93½c.

CHICAGO, December 9.—Wheat December, 78¼c.; January, 78¾c. Corn, December, 32c.; May, 33⅝c.

Hungarian Counts Dueling.

PESTH, Hungary, December 9.—A duel with swords was fought here today by Count Karolyi and Count Lazar. The latter was severely wounded. The trouble arose over a quarrel in the Diet.

Local Rains.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 9.—A forecast for California till 8 A. M. Tuesday indicates local rains.

ESTATES OF THE DEAD.

Probate Proceedings in Superior Court Today.

Christina Halpin has been appointed administratrix of the estate of J. Halpin, deceased, with bonds fixed at $1800.

The will of A. Buteau has been admitted to probate, and Frank H. Buteau appointed executor, without bonds.

The will of Joseph C. Nicholson has also been admitted to probate and Mary E. Nicholson appointed executrix with bonds fixed at $45,000.

Alice C. Knight has been appointed administratrix of the estate of George A. Knight, deceased, with bonds fixed at $2000.

The estate of E. S. Hamilton, deceased, has been ordered distributed.

A. Dado has been appointed guardian of the persons and estates of his two minor children.

The first annual account of John Yule, administrator of the estate of C. J. Stevens, deceased, has been allowed.

John Katen has been appointed to administer upon the estate of J. P. Rodgers, deceased.

Applied for a License.

Frantz Harding of Twenty-second avenue and East Twelfth street has again applied for a liquor license. His former application was ruled out for want of proper signatures, and the present application is similarly defective.

FOOLING THE OWNERS.

Notices of Intention to Order Sidewalks Torn Down.

W. G. Hensbaw is an improver in earnest. He is always willing to bear his share of expense for street improvements, and also to bear more than his share of the burden of trying to induce or even to compel other property owners to pay for pavements and sidewalks in front of their property. Mr. Henshaw recently made a shy attempt to cause cement sidewalks to be constructed on each side of Sixth avenue, from East Eighth street to East Nineteenth street. Sixth avenue is the main thoroughfare to and from Clinton station, and is traveled daily by hundreds of people. Cement sidewalks are laid for a portion of the distance, noticeably so in front of the handsome property of Mr. Henshaw, but in front of much of the property are rickety plank sidewalks, through the cracks of which the water darts heavenward when the unwary pedestrian stamps his shoe upon the plank. Mr. Henshaw, with other progressive property owners, presented a petition asking that the cement sidewalk be ordered. The Superintendent of Streets posted notices of the intention to construct the sidewalk from Eighth street to Nineteenth. Immediately after the notices were posted many of them were torn down, particularly from positions in front of unimproved property, and the suggestion is that they were removed by property owners interested in the improvement. Among others who own property fronting on Sixth avenue is Hiram Tubbs, who owns the entire west frontage between Twelfth and East Fourteenth streets. Mr. Tubbs has used gravel for sidewalks for years and does not look with favor upon the expense of building cement sidewalks. Therefore when he heard of the project to order the sidewalk, not knowing who promulgated it, he went to the office of the Superintendent of Streets and inquired who had instituted the proposition. He was told that the petition was sent from W. J. Dingee's office. Mr. Tubbs smiled and remarked: "Well, I guess that it is all right." Mr. Henshaw, who is associated in business with Mr. Dingee, is Mr. Tubbs's son in law.

The property owners learned of the intention to construct the sidewalk, though the notices were removed, and a protest signed by owners of more than 1200 feet of frontage has been presented. Under the new street law the Council may order construction of a sidewalk (or a sewer) notwithstanding the objections of property owners, even though everyone who has to pay his share for the work protests; but the Council considers the desires of property owners in ordering street work.

"A good cement sidewalk is the best investment a property owner can make," said a progressive freeholder this morning. "The cost is about 78 cents a front foot for a walk six feet wide, and the value of his property is increased $5 per foot. Such a sidewalk is a clear gain of $1 22 per foot, not considering the comfort and convenience to the owner himself."

A SHAKY BRIDGE.

The Peril of a Trip Over the Road to the Cemetery.

A Contract Once was Awarded for Constructing a Culvert, but It Was Not Fulfilled.

The bridge over Webster avenue, near the intersection of that street with Broadway, is still in perilous condition, but is propped temporarily by C. T. H. Palmer, the contractor to whom was assigned E. A. Warren's contract for grading Broadway and for constructing a culvert near the eastern boundary line of the city. But what is to become of the Webster avenue bridge? A contract was awarded to W. A. Knowles last summer to build a culvert where the shaky bridge now spans its shivering timbers over the stream that now dashes into Lake Merritt, but the contract lapsed because Knowles did not file a satisfactory bond in due time. C. T. H. Palmer tried to make a private contract with the property owners, but was not successful.

During the recent heavy rains some of the foundation of the bridge has been washed away. The Superintendent of Streets deemed this evasion due to diversion of the water course by Mr. Palmer in pursuance of his contract to construct a culvert over the same stream in the line of Broadway, therefore he asked Mr. Palmer to prop the bridge. Mr. Palmer said it was not his business to reconstruct the Webster avenue bridge, but he was willing to keep it from washing away, hence he ordered it propped. This strengthening is not permanent. A new contract for constructing a culvert in Webster avenue should be awarded.

WILL LAWTON'S NOTE.

A Suit for a Small Balance Remaining Unpaid.

Suit has been commenced in Justice Snook's Court by A. Haney, as assignee of Gray & McCloud, against W. D. Lawton to recover on a promissory note executed over two years ago. The note was originally for $40, but there now remains only $10 and $7 30 interest to be collected, for which suit has been brought. It was about two years ago that two friends of Lawton, both employes of the United States Mint at that time, sat down to a quiet game of cards at Gray & McCloud's old store on Broadway. When the game broke up one of the parties found himself in debt to the firm in the sum of $40, which had been loaned and for which a gold watch had been taken as security. The man wanted his watch, and at the earnest solicitation of Lawton it was given back, Lawton going security for the amount. On the day following, McCloud says, the gentleman in question gave Lawton two twenties to bring over to Gray & McCloud. But the money never reached its destination, and on learning that Lawton had it one of the firm demanded an explanation and threatened to have him arrested. Lawton promised to pay, and to settle the matter gave a note for the money, which has not been paid. Hence the suit.

A Sewer There.

Mrs. S. A. Thomas and A. Brand, owners of property fronting East Twelfth street and Twenty-third avenue, protest against the construction of a sewer in East Twelfth street, from Twenty-third avenue to Park street, on the ground that a sewer is already constructed from the west line of East Twelfth street to Park avenue.

They Have Money.

Antonio Dado has applied to be appointed guardian of the persons and estates of Mabel and Annie Dado. The little ones have a legacy of $500 coming to them.

WON BY A WIDOW.

Mrs. Miner's Charges Against Her Husband.

THE WIFE ACCUSED OF BAD DEEDS.

The Story Developed on a Motion for Alimony in Judge Ellsworth's Court.

"Scoundrel! Villain! He would ruin my reputation and disgrace me before my people. Oh, how could he be so cruel," were the words that Mary A. Miner hissed as she walked out of Judge Ellsworth's court this morning, where she had been to make an appeal to his Honor to compel her husband, Eugene Miner, the conductor on the local train, to pay her a reasonable sum of alimony pending the trial of the case wherein she is defendant. The matter had been continued to today in order to allow the conductor to file counter-affidavits to the motion. The documents came to hand, and they proved a bonanza to Mrs. Miner, as she had no idea that her husband would dare to prefer such charges against her. It was after reading the charges that she called her husband a villain and a scoundrel. The affidavits assert that on one occasion her husband found his wife in a compromising position and on another occasion a young man heard strange noises in a room occupied by Mrs. Miner, which led him to believe that all was not right. Miner claims to have found a card in his wife's bureau upon which was printed letters which have been before marriage and other matters which would tend to show that she was not a chaste woman. Mrs. Miner has been given a week to reply to the charges.

The lady was asked by a reporter if the charges made against her were true, and she replied: "They are false and I propose to show up this man who is endeavoring to run my reputation in this city where I have resided for the past five years. He has treated me in a most cruel manner; humiliated me before my friends; tortured me by unkind words and compelled me to beg from friends in order that I might secure a crust of bread for my daily and nightly use. He has made the grievous charges with a view of impeaching my honor as a wife and woman in order that I will be shunned by my friends and hated by those who have kindly feeling toward me. But I will show the world that I am innocent. This little child I have here was adopted by Mr. Miner and myself. You will notice that she is a blonde. Mr. Miner has a dear friend, a widow, by the way, who also is a blonde. Many a time he used to take the little one on his lap, and as he jumped it up and down would say, 'darling, you have your hair just like my widow.'

"Since he left me he has refused to support me, and I have actually been compelled to beg for bread. I was divorced from Mr. Cunningham some three years ago on the ground of his cruelty. Since this trouble commenced I have been compelled to go to him and borrow a dollar in order to get something to eat. I know the man is in love with me yet, but he is over 50 years of age. He would care for me, I presume, but I cannot accept his gifts, and will pay him back every cent I have borrowed.

"I have met Mr. Miner's widow, the woman who won him from me, and he is so thoroughly under her influence that he is lost to all sense of duty toward his wife and child. But as to these charges he makes against me, I will show him that I have just enough grit left to expose him and his gang."

Miner and his cohorts were in court, and laughed and talked while the wife was suffering agony reading the affidavits wherein her character had been assailed.

A RIOT IN THE TENT.

Another Disturbance at Mrs. Woodworth's Meeting.

A small riot occurred at half after 2 o'clock this afternoon at the tent at corner of Twelfth and Webster streets, where a meeting was conducted by Mrs. Woodworth. William Kirchner, a wealthy man who has a grocery on Adeline street, attended the meeting. He said something to Mrs. Woodworth, and F. J. Wood, a Salvation Army slugger, hired to act as bouncer for the meeting, tried to eject him. Kirchner resisted and his brother, H. Kirchner, came to his assistance. The three had a vigorous fight in the presence of a large crowd that quickly gathered. The Chief of Police was informed by telephone of the disorder and Captain Wilson and half a dozen officers ran to the tent. They arrested the brothers Kirchner and Bouncer Wood for fighting. Wood preferred additional charges against the Kirchners.

THROW UP YOUR HANDS.

The Order to a Pedestrian on Telegraph Avenue.

J. D. La Montague, who has a saloon on Seventh street, near Broadway, started for home in the rain last night and boarded a Telegraph avenue street car. At Twenty-sixth street he left the car to go to his house. When he reached the sidewalk three men approached him and ordered him to throw up his hands. He called for assistance. Special Police Officer Notter, who was on the same car that La Montague had just left, heard the call from a block distant and leaping from the car ran back to Twenty-sixth street. Mr. Taylor, who lives on Twenty-sixth street, also heard the cry for help and as he ran toward Telegraph avenue, he met La Montague running toward him. The three footpads had run along Telegraph avenue, and disappeared in the precipitation when La Montague called for aid.

The Starr King Fraternity.

The class in professional ethics of the Starr King Fraternity will meet at the residence of Dr. Myra Knox, 148 Fourteenth street, on Wednesday evening next. The discussion will be on "The Ethics of the Lawyer," and will be led by Daniel Titus. Miss Dean will speak before the fraternity on "Florence, the Beautiful," on Friday evening next.

Perhaps.

It is said that persons are gathering drowned squirrels that have been suffocated in their holes by the rush of waters, and are selling them in the markets for good food.

THE COTTON MILLS.

A Temporary Shut Down—Enlarging.

The California Cotton Mills have been forced to shut down during the present storm, owing to the danger from a side flood of mud and water. The contractors on the tidal canal have built a levee around the property adjoining the mills on the west and have pumped it full of chickens from the bottom of the channel. The mud is now four feet above the surrounding ground, and it is feared that the levee may give away at any moment and flood the Cotton Mills property. A portion of it on the side toward the bay did give way a few days ago and created considerable damage and so work will not be resumed until all danger is past. Superintendent Rutherford informed a Enquirer reporter on Saturday that it is the intention to greatly increase the facilities of the Cotton Mills in the near future. At the present time jute machinery to the value of nearly $40,000 is en route from the East, and is expected to arrive almost any day. When this is placed in position it will give employment to a great many more boys and girls. "We are keeping our eyes on the Legislature," said he, "to see what they intend doing about their mills at San Quentin. If it were not for them we would enlarge our mills to three times the present size and give employment to several hundred more employes. Of course while those mills over there are liable to start up at any moment, we hardly know what to do as it injures our business, but just as soon as they close down the mills for good we will commence to enlarge our place."

Mr. Rutherford further stated that a prominent Eastern jute and cotton mills man was coming to California in the near future to take a part interest in the California Cotton Mills, and when he comes a number of changes will be made in running the mills.

At present over 200 white men, women, boys and girls are employed at the factory, and never since work was started there has there been a single Chinaman employed.

The levee spoken of by Superintendent Rutherford on Saturday broke yesterday, and the mud and water rapidly poured into the cotton mills grounds and flowed up against the main building, covering the land for 100 feet around. The ground of the mills are nearly four feet lower than the marsh now being filled in, and a serious overflow is threatened at any time. The damage was not very serious.

REAL ESTATE.

The Laymance Sale—A Building Association.

Saturday was a sort of holiday at Irvington, the occasion being the sale of the Roberts tract by M. J. Laymance & Co. of this city. People came from all directions to buy and the excursion trains run were crowded. Fortunately the rain let up in time for the sale and all the lots were sold, the prices being in most cases very reasonable; $18,000 was paid over for the property. William Butterfield was the auctioneer, and as a whole the sale was very satisfactory. Among the purchasers were: Lots 1 and 2, Henry Bearman; lots 3 and 4, L. Valentine; lot 5, Miss Franklin of Oakland; lots 6 and 7, L. Echeveria; lot 8, N. L. Babb; lot 9, Albert Anderson; lots 10 to 13, L. M. Hinckley; lot 14, G. L. Merritt; lot 15, J. G. Mattos; lots 16 and 17, S. P. Kelley; lots 18 to 28, John Hansler; lots 29 to 31, S. G. Folger; lot 32, T. H. Downie; lots 33 to 36, J. Bosinturia. Twenty-two one acre lots were sold next to the following buyers: Lots 37 and 38, H. F. Weston; lot 39, P. M. Fisher; lot 40, S. Salz; lots 41 and 42, A. B. Montros; lots 43 to 46, John Hansler; lot 47, Miss Franklin; lot 48, J. B. Horn; lot 49, E. E. Eaton; lot 50, A. N. Gilbert; lot 51, Mr. Ford; lots 52 and 53, N. J. Reddy. Six five acre lots were sold to the following named buyers: Lot 59, F. J. Furtardo; lots 60 and 61, George Stanley; lot 62, H. E. Mocher; lot 63, Mrs. C. Hirsch; lot 64, John Hansler.

P. M. Chaffee, who deals in real estate at Twenty-third avenue, has returned from a business trip to the East.

John Able of this city has purchased from Edwin Smith a residence lot in the Camden tract.

Jeffress & White are preparing a bird's eye view of Twenty-third avenue and vicinity, including Fruit Vale.

The newly organized Oakland Building and Loan Association has met with unqualified success. Within the past ninety days 2000 shares have been disposed of, which is the full amount allowed by their present charter. Stock is now at a premium and it is the intention to hold a meeting tonight to apply for an amendment to their charter permitting them to increase their capital stock. Of the stock sold $25,000 has been paid up in full.

W. S. Holloway has filed a mechanic's lien against property on Twelfth street, 52x130, near Peralta, belonging to J. A. Lowden, to satisfy a demand for $31 50.

LAKE CHABOT.

It Has Risen Twenty-three Feet Already This Season.

During the present storm six inches of rain fell at Lake Chabot, making a total for the season of sixteen inches. In the past twenty-four hours the lake has risen seven feet, making the total rise since the rains began twenty-three feet. One foot more of water is all that the lake will hold.

Leave It to the Officer.

A jolly newspaper carrier, James Ling by name, was under the influence of liquor yesterday morning while making his rounds. The rain was falling and Ling drove his horse upon the sidewalk for shelter. Police Officer Felley arrested him for drunkenness and for violation of the ordinance which prohibits driving horses upon the sidewalk. This morning when Ling was arraigned he was asked to plead to the charge of drunk.

"I'll leave it to the officer," was his reply to the question.

"Do you plead guilty or not guilty? We want your plea."

"Well, the officer arrested me. He knows whether I was drunk or not."

"He was drunk" said officer Felley.

"He knows," said Ling, and a plea of guilty was entered.

An East Oakland Sewer.

Before the roadway of Nineteenth avenue from the marsh to East Nineteenth street was paved with macadam, a sewer was laid by E. Cavanagh. The cost to the property owners is $1729 18.

The High School.

The bids for reconstructing the High school will be received by the Board of Public Works tomorrow evening.

Permission to Mortgage.

The West Oakland Home has applied to the Superior Court for permission to mortgage their property on Campbell and Taylor streets for $7000.

Four to One on the Grays.

Polk Gray will probably be appointed Deputy Superintendent of Streets, vice Mr. Fontaine, appointed Clerk, vice E. H. Benjamin, resigned.

BUILDING A JAIL.

An Oakland Blacksmith Has a San Mateo Contract.

E. Beach, proprietor of the Architectural Iron Works, at the corner of Fourth and Clay streets, is constructing steel tanks to be used in the jail at Redwood City, San Mateo county. The tanks are made of solid steel riveted together with angle irons, and will take the place of the wooden cells now used in the jail. The new cells will stand upon a concrete floor two feet thick. They are seven feet high, seven feet six inches long, and six feet six inches wide. The doors will be the same style as those used in the County Jail in this city. The contract price for the iron and steel work is $2800. The tanks will be shipped by steamer to Redwood City as soon as they are finished.

THE LONE HIGHWAYMAN.

Plutarch Lewis Says the Detectives Made a Mistake.

He Can Explain the Coincidence of the Stage Being Robbed and His Skipping.

Plutarch Lewis, a mild mannered, fair featured young man of 26 years, and occupies a cell in the County Jail awaiting trial on a charge of robbery, he being accused of robbing stages. Mr. Lewis does not look like a desperate man, neither does he look as though he would have enough nerve to stop a stock let alone stop a stage and demand the treasure box. When he was visited at the County Jail this morning he was found in the best of spirits and announced that he had no idea of going to the pen, as he called it, seeming to be quite familiar with the term used by convicts. The young man is reading his troubles, said he, of course you know that the stage running between Roseburg and Coos Bay, in Oregon, has stopped on the 13th of last month and the treasure box, containing a large quantity of money, captured, so it is claimed that it was the work of a lone highwayman. The country over which the stage runs is very wild and a man would have little trouble in doing the driver up. Now, you see, I was living with my wife and mother at Corvallis, not a great many miles from Roseburg. I was not making as much money as I thought I ought to, being engaged in the barber business, so when the price of a shave was reduced from 25 cents to 15 cents, I determined to get out and hunt new quarters. On the 5th of last month I left home and started out, and I finally landed in Klamath City. Now on the 13th of the month, the date of the robbery, I was in Klamath City, and so I propose to prove an alibi. But, however, about the time of the robbery my friends missed me and I skipped out to hunt for new fields of labor. This of course gave the idea that I might be the lone highwayman. A very accurate description was given of me, and when I landed in Redding and commenced working in an hotel I was very soon picked up by a detective, and could not help but acknowledge that the description of me was rather classy. I was brought to this jail, and here I am awaiting to be taken down as a prisoner. But there is one thing that bothers me though. You see, I understand that a reward of $1600 has been offered for the arrest of the robber. Now, if they can fasten the crime on me some one gets $1600, and I have an idea that some person or persons are working to jam me and send me up. But I can prove an alibi and so I am happy, and, as I said, have no fear of the pen. The other fellows who are against me, however, had better have a care and an eye to their liberty. That is my story, young man. Tell the people I'm innocent and happy, to tell, and my name still is, yours truly, Plutarch Lewis, Esq." And the alleged lone highwayman sought the seclusion of cell 5 in the Grand Jury corridor.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. Scott Seaton, son of the late Horace H. Seaton, is at the Hoffman House, New York city. Mr. Seaton will take a trip to Washington and other Southern cities, and will return to Oakland in March. Mrs. Horace H. Seaton and her other children are sojourning in Newark, N. J.

—James M. Brady, City Clerk, is affected by the weather. He has a severe cold, has lost the sweet tone of his resonant voice and can not leave his bed.

Necrology.

The funeral of the late John Berring took place yesterday afternoon from the Church of the Advent, Rev. Dr. Lathrop officiating. At the grave the services were conducted by the Knights of Pythias, of which the deceased was a member. The attendance of friends was very large, and the floral offerings very handsome. The pallbearers were Clinton Dodge and Charles Doike of the Odd Fellows' Lodge and Charles Heinzean and M. P. West of Brooklyn Lodge Knights of Pythias.

Mrs. Mary McDonald, wife of J. C. McDonald, was buried yesterday from the Second Presbyterian Church. The deceased was a native of Cornwall, Canada, and 52 years of age.

Armstrong and Books.

Tonight the first of the lectures on Statesmen and Heroes, by William Jackson Armstrong, will be given in Hamilton Hall. The lecturer has chosen to open his work with the dramatic life of Garibaldi and Italy, a lecture which was prepared and delivered in the East at the suggestion of Henry Ward Beecher, and is said to be very dramatic and telling. The lecturer will be assisted by the well-known California poet, Fred Emerson Brooks, who will give appropriate recitations before and after the lecture.

The Oakland Postoffice.

The report of Postmaster Hanna for November is as follows: Registered letters delivered, 805; letters delivered, 213,095; postal cards delivered, 39,452; newspapers, circulars and all printed matter delivered, 130,757; local letters collected, 34,813; mail letters collected, 123,833; local postal cards collected, 15,397; mail postal cards collected, 18,042; newspapers, circulars and all printed matter collected, 17,796; total postage on local matter delivered through the boxes, general delivery and by carrier, $1277 81.

Pleasanton Raisins.

A sample of raisins cured at the vineyard of S. E. Stover, near Pleasanton, was seen in this city today. They are very sweet and of fine flavor, well cured and large, although not of the very largest size.

A Protest.

Mrs. J. H. Thomas and A. Brand have protested against the sewer on Central avenue from Twenty-third avenue to Park street.

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An Interview With Supreme Justice Fox.

CITY CHARTERS AND THE STATE LAW

The Status of the Police Court Case—Need Not Be Decided Before the End of the Year.

Ninety days of actual time since the Ah You habeas corpus matter was submitted to the Supreme Court will expire on Friday next, and the constitution requires that the Justices draw no salary unless they decide a case within 90 days. The decision has been reached. The Supreme Court, however, has commonly considered cases submitted on the first of the month following the actual submission; hence, if this view be taken, the decision may not be handed down before January 1st. The justices of the court have also a wrinkle to gain time in which to decide cases without delaying reception of salaries. This plan is called "resubmission." When not ready to decide a case within 90 days after submission they order it "resubmitted," and then can take 90 days more.

M. C. Chapman, the attorney for Ah You, is noted as having made the following statement:

"The ninety days in which the Supreme Court is allowed to have to render its opinion expires next Friday, and under the law they cannot collect their salary if this is not done. It has been stated that the majority decision will be in my favor, although I have no grounds for particularly so saying, except that Justice Fox, in speaking to a friend, is said to have said that he was personally in favor of sustaining the Lottery, but that the lives of the other hostages were in good order.

"Justice Fox was seen by a Tribune reporter this morning and asked if he had ever made any such statement.

"It places a judge in a very delicate position to be interviewed, and for that reason great care should be taken in reporting us. As for that statement, I never made any remarks as broad as is here quoted. I believe I did say, when I first went on the bench, that I hoped and did not think it was fair that the writing of an opinion in the Ah You case should come to me, as I had participated in and had signed the Henshaw case and had some very firm convictions that the Whitney bill was not constitutional. However, now that it has been declared constitutional I am willing to accept it as the law of the land. This was said in reply to a gentleman who had come to me with the idea that the writing of the decision had been assigned to me.

"As for predicting what the judgment of this court should be, I have never attempted to do that in any case. I did say to somebody, I do not remember who, that my understanding of the constitution was, that charters which had been adopted by the people were superior to the general law in matters pertaining to local government. I did not make any statement that the other Justices of the Supreme Court were opposed to this view, and I did not predict the judgment of this court in the case in question.

"What is the status of the Ah You case, and are there any prospects of an early decision?"

"We have until the last of this month in which to render the decision. I have no idea as to the status of the case, and I do not know who has it."

M. C. Chapman, attorney for Ah You and other Chinese lottery agents, says that if in the Ah You case the Supreme Court decides that Alexander Laidlaw has no authority to sit as Police Judge he will attempt to collect the $1500 now on deposit as bail for the Chinese offenders arrested several months ago. "The Prosecuting Attorney of the Police Court," says Mr. Chapman, "desires to try the lottery cases now pending, but I shall refuse as I have a stipulation with the District Attorney that none of these cases shall be tried while the Ah You case is pending before the Supreme Court."

MAGEE IN CONTEMPT.

A Defendant Arrested and Brought Into Court.

When the trial of John Magee, accused of an assault with a deadly weapon, was resumed before Judge Ellsworth in the Superior Court this afternoon, the defendant failed to put in an appearance, and a bench warrant was issued for his arrest, and he was forcibly brought into court by a deputy sheriff. Magee declared that he had no intention of purposely absenting himself from court and had made a mistake in regard to the time of adjournment. On this showing he was purged of contempt. The case will go to the jury this afternoon.

NO POLITICS.

Jesse Wall Says He Looks for Efficiency, not Party Fealty.

Jesse Wall, Superintendent of Streets, was incensed this morning when he read in a paper that he has been conducting his office as a Democratic institution. "That is not true," said he. "I do not consider politics in this office. I consider only efficiency. I have no patronage at my disposal except superintendents of construction of sewers. I have appointed four, and it happens that three of these are Republicans and one is a Democrat. I do not know the politics of Mr. Fontaine, the clerk, nor of his predecessor, Mr. Benjamin."

HALF THE SEASON.

December Not Half Over, Yet Nearly Seventeen Inches of Rain.

The nine days of constant rain in this month have precipitated 6.24 inches of moisture, 1.10 inches having fallen since Saturday at 5 P. M. The total rainfall for so much of the season as has passed is 16.44 inches, a record uncontrolled in the history of rainfall of this State.

Music and Lectures.

A series of musically illustrated lectures will be given in the First Congregational Church Thursday evenings, December 12th, 19th, and 26th, by Mme. Emilia Tojetti, assisted by Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder and R. A. Lucchesi. The first recital will be on "Ancient Music," the second on "Songs of the Classic Era," and the third on "Songs of the Romantic and Dramatic School." The price of course tickets for three evenings is only $1 50.

On Sale.

The interesting little volume of selections in prose and poetry, entitled "Borrowings," prepared by the ladies of the Unitarian Society, is now on sale at all the bookstores.

He Pleads Not Guilty.

George White pleaded not guilty to a charge of burglary this morning and his trial was set for December 23d.

BERKELEY.

The Vote Against Annexation on Saturday.

Another Annexation Election in Prospect—Building Notes and Personals.

Mrs. S. A. De Lacune is now putting pictures up out of the houses of some of the great poets for the holidays. Among those to be painted are the dwellings of Sir Walter Scott, Byron, Milton, Shakespeare, and Homer.

The Town Trustees meet in executive session next Wednesday evening for the purpose of settling the number of the saloon licenses within the limits of the university. Town Attorney Turner will present a written opinion to the board, with legal authorities appended.

The new block to be built on the corner of Center street and Shattuck avenue by S. Smith & Bro. will be one story high. A strong one foundation will be built for the building in view, so if at any future time the Americans think that they would be justified in putting on another story it can be done with little delicacy.

The Odd Fellows' Social Club of Berkeley will give a grand masquerade fancy ball tomorrow evening in the Odd Fellows' Hall. Among the officers are the following: Floor Manager, W. T. Lingard; Assistant, A. P. Ball and J. E. Speckhart; Reception Committee, Louis Gotschalk, George Sickle, Louis Stein, E. H. Shaw. About 200 invitations have been sent out by the members of the club, and a fine present attendance will be the greatest success.

The special election for the purpose of annexing the territory between the south line of Berkeley and Russell street took place last Saturday. The vote polled was very heavy, as the people as a general rule did not care whether the territory was annexed or not, and a large portion did not believe there would be any opposition. The total vote polled in East Berkeley precinct was 230, of which 150 for annexation were received in the morning and 80 against. Out of 31 Everyone supposed that the matter had been decided in favor of annexation when it was telegraphed from West Berkeley precinct that there had been a total vote of 11 against annexation. But when the votes were counted, some more votes came in, and after many recounts it was found that the vote was 12 votes against annexation, 12 votes in favor of annexation. Thus, only the middle territory intended to be annexed will have to wait, some more votes favor the annexation before becoming a part of beautiful Berkeley. The vote in the territory to be annexed was 15 for and against annexation. A petition will probably be presented to the next meeting of the Town Trustees to annex that territory to Alcatraz avenue, the town line which will include Lorin, Newbury, and the Stockyards. This opposition will be received more favorably in the West End, as they will gain votes as well as in this part of the town. If the territory voted on last Saturday had been annexed, East Berkeley would have gained about fifty votes and West Berkeley none.

West Berkeley.

A. H. Mitchell has returned from the E. after an absence of several months.

Richard Schubert has left for Seattle where he has a large contract to perform. His family are expected him.

West Berkeley kept up its reputation for "going solid" to the polls. Out of 91 votes cast, 89 were against and 2 for annexation. This large majority offset the strong vote in the East End and defeated the scheme to annex outside territory to the town.

It is reported that the election in this precinct which took place on Friday last will be contested by an interested party living in the East End. It is alleged that in the clerk of the election officers coupled with the [illegible] expressed

Emeryville.

The residents of this place are now able once more to go into their cellars. The late rains have flooded every excavation in the neighborhood.

The persons who started the subscription to build a sidewalk on Park street are about ready to throw up the enterprise, although it is the only one possible to walk on on this street, which is practically the only street in the place on account of the mud and the poor condition of the sidewalks. The people fail to respond to the call for funds to remedy the difficulty.

Golden Gate.

Mrs. Arthur Edes, formerly Miss Annie Van Hentlinger, of this place, is now residing in Berkeley, in the Gates hall block, on the corner of Center street and Shattuck avenue.

The citizens of this place are generally highly elated at the result of the annexation election held last Saturday. Colonel Watkins is of the opinion that if an election is held to annex to McKee street, which it will, [illegible] the stockyards, that will close the deficiency.

Lorin.

The Good Templars' Lodge and the Band of Hope will unite in a Christmas entertainment.

The special services to be held in Park Church this week have been postponed until after the holidays.

H. D. Irwin contemplates putting a sidewalk in front of his place as soon as the weather will permit.

Mr. Taynton of Newbury entertained quite an audience Saturday evening. While setting off the train it broke and he was shoved by some one so that he was thrown to the ground, striking his head and shoulders. He was also badly shaken up.

Mr. Benadom put a large terra cotta pipe in front of his lots on Woolsey street last summer, intending to carry the water, which would naturally flow over there, across them. Though it was an eighteen inch pipe it was not large enough to carry all the water off, and in consequence a large pond has accumulated on the east side of the narrow gauge. Levy Dougherty thought he had lost his shoot the other day. It was sucked in at the entrance end of this pipe, but before it could get to the other end the shovel was there.

East Oakland.

F. W. Reade of Marin county is registered at Tubbs' Hotel.

C. H. Billings and wife of Sacramento are stopping at Tubbs' Hotel.

A lumber hauler coming down Seventh street on Saturday last broke his Mendocino.

All the saloons in the vicinity of Twenty-third avenue are now closed because of the high license.

J. M. Davies, secretary of the State Board of Trade, left for Sacramento this morning to inspect "California on Wheels."

Brooklyn Lodge, No. 225, F. and A. M., elected officers for the ensuing term last week. The old officers were re-elected.

At the Tenth avenue Baptist Church last evening the second part of Pilgrim's Progress, with music by the Sunday school choir, was given.

Constable Lamp and Citizen L. Wilson nabbed two Chinese notary clients yesterday and captured Ah Jim and Ah Huen, the two proprietors.

Considerable damage was done last week on Twenty-first avenue and Fourteenth streets by the large volume of water which flowed on them, causing deep ruts several feet across in several places.

Dr. Sinclair, the colored divine, addressed a large audience at the Congregational Church last evening. For his subject he took the interesting and important theme of the more thorough education of the colored race, and cited his own experience in securing the advantages of the Howard University of Washington.

San Leandro.

Frank Cardozo of San Francisco spent Sunday with his parents.

Miss Pauline Newcome of Yuba City is the guest of Mrs. A. B. Woodworth.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Downey of San Francisco were guests at the residence of S. Huffhart last week.

Dr. A. S. Dubois has sold his residence on Hayes street to Dr. J. Vivian of Alexandria, Minn. Dr. Dubois will build a handsome $5000 residence on his property on Hayward avenue.

Eden Lodge, F. and A. M., held its regular meeting on Saturday evening last and elected its officers for the ensuing year. Andrew L. Stone, W. M.; Mr. Gray, S. W.; J. Driver, S. W.; S. C. Hawes, Treasurer; J. E. Hopper, Secretary; S. V. Dubois, S. D.; A. B. Woodworth, J. D.; George Downie and A. Bjerkman, Stewards; W. W. Bird, Tyler; A. J. Jorgensen, Marshal. The lodge partook of a bountiful lunch in the dining hall after closing. The installations will be public and take place in the first week in January.

A local union of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America was formed yesterday in the Masonic building. John McKenzie of Oakland, President of the district council, and J. P. W. Sanders, Vice President, assisted by T. W. Harrigan, were the organizers. The following officers were elected: William Chambers, President; H. J. Herr, Vice President; H. L. Schlueter, Recording Secretary; George Liesel, Treasurer; Charles L. Conducto, T. B. Wilkey, Warden; M. G. Silva, Trustee. They will hold their regular meetings on Monday evenings. The charter members number about twenty.

Golden Wave Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, No. 163, held an installation of officers at Masonic Temple on Friday evening last. In spite of the inclemency of the weather a large number of invited guests were present to witness the ceremony. The following officers were installed by Past Grand Worthy Matron Mrs. Partridge, and acting Grand Marshal, Mrs. Merritt: Worthy Matron, Mrs. Carrie Woodworth; Worthy Patron, A. B. Woodworth; Associate Matron, Mrs. Georgiana Dubois; Secretary, Miss May Rogers; Treasurer, Mrs. G. Deane; Conductress, Mrs. Emma Bird; Associate Conductress, Mrs. Annie Stevens; Chaplain, Rev. William Hunter; Ruth, Mrs. Lucy Wright; Esther, Mrs. Louise Waldron; Martha, Mrs. Hopper; Electa, Mrs. Nettie Benham; Warder, Herman Schlueter; Sentinel, J. Driver. At the conclusion of the ceremonies a sumptuous banquet was held in the dining hall. The table was tastefully decorated and the dishes beautifully decked with choice flowers and laid with everything that pertains to a feast. The rest of evening until midnight was devoted to sociability.

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FREE RIDING.

An Extraordinary Statement About Oakland Streets.

Frank M. Pixley on the Policy Pursued in Oakland Toward the Railroad Company.

When the Central Pacific Railroad Company obtained the right of way through Oakland, and the virtual control of its water front, the city had sufficient foresight to drive a bargain with the company by which the citizens received some return for the privileges granted. They saw that the franchise they were giving to the railroad company was a valuable property for which they were entitled to some adequate return. The city of Oakland, therefore, required of the railroad that it should carry passengers between the different stations within the limits of Oakland without charge. The difference to the railroad company amounts to a very large sum annually, say that three thousand five hundred passengers ride free daily. A very moderate estimate; this would be one hundred and five thousand per month; at ten cents fare this would be one hundred and eighty thousand dollars per annum, or the amount that might have been charged for this local service now carried free. While the railroad company thus pays all the expense attached to this condition upon which the franchise was granted, the people of Oakland receive no pecuniary or tangible benefit. The privilege of riding free is divided among so many that the saving amounts to only a little for each. The city itself might have profited much more by imposing other conditions. Suppose that the railroad company had been required to pay a certain sum a percentage of its receipts, suppose, for example, it had been required to charge ten cents for fares within the limits of Oakland on condition that it pay to the city one-half the proceeds. The consideration of the benefit in this manner would enable it to take some tangible form. After all these years, during which Oaklanders have enjoyed the privilege of free riding, they have positively nothing to show for it. Had the railroad company paid an equivalent to the city, however, a fund might have been created which would have improved Oakland immensely. On the very moderate figures given above it would amount to $[illegible] per annum. In all probability it would amount to three times that sum. Oak and streets are practically unpaved. Such a fund would have placed the principal streets in good condition and kept them in repair. Or the fund might have been devoted to a public park, which could have been made by this time the most beautiful on the coast. The land bordering on the estuary might have been obtained at small expense, reclaimed, and laid out as a public park without calling on any fund other than that received from the railroad. The estuary here offers the only chance of water in this part of the bay which is well adapted to boating and aquatic sports. A wide boulevard, shaded by trees and winding along the shore, might have been built, extending from Lake Merritt to Oakland Point, to be used as a drive, and also furnishing a position from which rowing regattas might be witnessed. Extending back from this boulevard would be the park proper, which might be laid out with trees and shrubbery, the arms of the estuary which now extend into the land being converted into streams and artificial lakes, to be stocked with aquatic birds. What has been accomplished in our own Golden Gate Park, with inadequate funds, and almost without natural advantages, gives some indication of what Oakland might have accomplished had she adopted a more far sighted policy in dealing with the railroad.

THE LAKE OVERFLOWS.

Traffic Across the Twelfth Street Dam Suspended.

Lake Merritt overflowed its banks for the second time in a week yesterday, and about noon a stream over 200 feet wide and nearly three feet deep poured over the Twelfth street dyke and flowed into the estuary. The lake rose very rapidly, and surprised the residents of that vicinity very much, as the lake had been drained almost entirely dry on Friday. At noon traffic to East Oakland by way of Twelfth street was entirely suspended, save by the street cars, which on several trips took water into them, much to the fright of the passengers.

The platforms of the different boathouses were also submerged, and several of the smaller boats were carried across Twelfth street and dropped into the bay by the torrent of escaping water. The flood gates were down and locked, and for a time it looked as if the dam would give way and in peril the buildings. An hour later the gates were opened and the water soon lowered. On Second avenue the water was in the street and flowing into the little creek that runs along that thoroughfare. The flood gates in the dam remained open all night.

"THE HENRIETTA."

Bronson Howard's Comedy at the Oakland Theater.

Bronson Howard's bright and exceedingly well written comedy, "The Henrietta," will be played at the Oakland Theater this evening by the same company that has presented the play at the Baldwin Theater, San Francisco, during the past few weeks. The language of the play is its great charm. The lines are terse, epigrammatic, and sparkling. The principal parts are taken by Stuart Robson and Frank Mordaunt. The play is one of the best of modern comedies, and the company gives it full expression.

Miss Rose Easton, formerly manager of the Fourteenth Street Theater, opens an engagement this week at the Grand Opera House in San Francisco, under the management of Alf Ellinghouse and supported by the well known comedian, Dan Kelty.

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December 6th—Johanna K. Kower vs. Herman Kower et al., partition—property in Alameda and San Francisco.

ASSIGNMENT OF MORTGAGE.

December 3d—M. A., wife of M. B. Strelinger, to C. P. Sprague, two mortgages, $[illegible].

ATTACHMENT.

December 6th—George A. Lank vs. F. Pancoast, release.

Coogan and Stratton.

Fred Stratton will not be attorney for the State Harbor Commissioners. T. C. Coogan has resigned that office, to take effect on the 1st of January next. Dennis Spencer, late of Napa, who has served a three years' term in the State Senate, has been appointed Mr. Coogan's successor.

STEPHEN CRONIN.

Death of One Who Was Well Known in Politics.

Stephen D. Cronin, the Second ward contractor and politician, died at his house, 1814 Grove street, on Saturday, from pneumonia and hasty consumption. The deceased was a native of County Cork, Ireland, and came to the United States when quite young. He had been a resident of this city for twenty-three years past, and during that time he had been intimately connected with ward politics. When he first came here he went into the saloon business, and at various times he owned saloons in different parts of the city. About a year ago his saloon on San Pablo avenue burned out, and he then went into the sewer contracting business.

He had always been a Democrat until the Hayes-Tilden campaign, when he became a Republican, but he recently went back to his first love, the Democratic party. About three years ago he ran for Councilman from the Second ward, but was defeated by a few votes. He was a member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, the Catholic Knights of America and St. Patrick's Alliance. He leaves a widow and nine children. The funeral took place this morning at 9 A. M. from St. Francis de Sales Church, where a solemn requiem mass was celebrated for the repose of his soul.

Sons of St. George.

Last Thursday evening District Deputy E. W. Spiars, assisted by the Grand Lodge officers, installed the following officers of Albion Lodge for term ending May 31, 1890:

W. P., Joseph Lancaster; V. P., G. Keene; Secretary, J. W. Cullen; Assistant Secretary, R. Weber; Treasurer, F. H. Busby; Messenger, George Walters; Trustee, Harry L. Swale; Physician, Dr. E. M. Patterson.

The auditing committee presented their statement, showing the membership to be 124 and money in bank and Treasurer's hand $1,027. Speeches were made commenting favorably on the substantial progress made by Albion Lodge in members and finances during the three years and a half since its organization. After the business of the meeting was concluded friends of the members were admitted and entertained by songs and recitations, refreshments were served and a good time ensued.

Wednesday the officers of Derby Lodge in Alameda were installed, and notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, there was a good attendance. Next Thursday an entertainment and ball at Cavalry Hall will be given under the auspices of the two lodges in aid of the funds for organizing new lodges. Great progress has already been made in that respect, as there are already nineteen lodges on this coast and have good prospects for doubling that number during the term.

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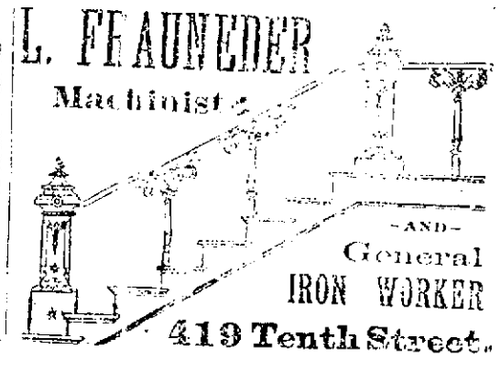

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A Los Angeles Idea.

Los Angeles is provided for the public library with several new features of an extraordinary sort, which, as the *Tribune* of that city explains, will make it "one of the most unique institutions in the country." We may venture to hope, in passing, that the library will include some suitable dictionary in which the editors and readers may learn the meaning of the words they now misuse. Passing on to the new features, they are catalogued as follows: Circulation of the best instrumental and vocal music; a very complete library of books on art; a fine collection of art photos; and the circulation of the leading magazines in the same way as books.

This is a perfectly logical development of the present system of free libraries. If the taxpayers are expected to furnish novels and story books for the amusement of everybody, there is no good reason why they should not provide song books and magazines, and this is what is being done in Los Angeles. Every reason for supplying novels for general circulation applies with equal force to newspapers. At present the newspapers are only supplied in central reading rooms. But if magazines and music may be taken home there is no reason why newspapers should not be supplied in the same way. All these things are simply means of amusement. The average novel is no more instructive than a ball room.

It is less instructive than a performance of the legitimate drama, and there is just as good reason to provide free seats at the theaters as on the bleaching boards as there is to furnish everybody with novels, newspapers, music, and magazines. Then, if the people of Los Angeles are furnished music for nothing, there should be a municipal piano and a city fiddle and a community property flute.

Of course, it is easy to laugh at these things, but we repeat that the Los Angeles development of the system is entirely logical and proper. If you grant the propriety of supplying at public cost intellectual amusement of any sort. It is a far better application of public money than the donation of large sums to district associations on the pretex of "improving the breed of horses," otherwise gambling. The extension of the principle in the shape of subsidies to theaters is universal in continental Europe, and a very talking argument might be made here in favor of baseball on the ground that it is the national game, and on many other equally good grounds, such as improving the breed of men, for instance.

We hope this movement is not going to stop short at free novels and free music, but will go on to give us free shows, and from that the transition to free bread and butter, the *panem et circenses* demanded by the Romans, will be easy, and we shall then have a nation of paupers after Bellamy's own heart.

THE Sacramento *Bee*, apropos of a city election, calls attention to a little known amendment of last session to the Political Code, which reads:

A voter who erases a name upon a ballot, and substitutes no name therefor, shall write the words "No Vote" after such name so erased, otherwise the name so erased, if it can be ascertained from an inspection of the ballot, must be counted; and if the fact thereof must be noted upon the ballot, a such note be signed by a majority of the Election Board.

The object of the amendment was to prevent judges or inspectors of election from manipulating ballots in the interest with the help of a fragile pencil held under the nail. By such means it was easy to scratch a name and [illegible]

[illegible] offered a bet between John [illegible] and [illegible], and the [illegible] urges the [illegible] resolution [illegible] a few [illegible]

New Moons.

A curious and interesting field of speculation is opened by a recent discovery of S. C. Chandler, an eminent astronomer of Cambridge, Mass., which Professor Barnard of the Lick Observatory explains in a communication. These discoveries relate to the comet first seen from the Lick Observatory in July last, which is still under observation. Investigating its orbit Mr. Chandler found that it had made a remarkably close approach to the planet Jupiter in 1886, and that its path had then been entirely changed, the comet being thrown into its present small ellipse, with a period of seven years.

This is the same remarkable comet which has attracted so much attention among astronomers, from the fact that since it was first observed it has apparently broken into four pieces, two of which have since disappeared. It is, in fact, a family of comets traveling together. Astronomical history relates that a comet known as Lexell's "lost comet," went through a similar experience with Jupiter in 1767, so far as a change in its orbit is concerned. Later it disappeared altogether, and it is believed that the present cometary family is the returned wanderer.

Mr. Chandler thinks that the break up of its system may be due to getting too near Jupiter in 1886. He believes that "the comet narrowly escaped being drawn into a closed orbit as a satellite of Jupiter." The nearest approach to the planet in this path was on March 29, 1886, the distance being about 100,000 miles.

Here is ground for a theory to account for the origin of planetary satellites. In fact Jupiter narrowly escaped having four new moons to add to his present procession of satellites. It is not impossible that the earth may some day draw within its influence a family of broken up comets, which would relieve wholly of the necessity of paying gas bills for street lights.

Frying in Their Own Grease.

The refusal of Berkeley to have anything to do municipally with its interesting neighbors on its southern line leaves those communities a choice of three courses. They may stay as they are, with the certainty of becoming unhealthy localities; they may incorporate as a whole or in groups; or, finally, they may decide that they want to become a part of Oakland. It seems probable that the first named course will be followed for some time to come, and that eventually the better element of the scattered villages will make a strong and determined effort for annexation to Oakland. Nevertheless they will find this a hard road to travel, because their present unorganized condition will attract a certain element hostile to a strong government under which nuisances would be looked after and criminals kept under the eye of the police. This is a lesson which is seldom learned except by experience, and as the people resident in those suburbs have not yet reached the limits of endurance in such matters, we conclude that efforts looking either to separate incorporation or annexation to Oakland will be, for some time to come, a failure. For the present they will fry in their own grease.

Some of Our Shellbacks.

Examiner.

It is interesting to know that Oakland is inhabited by over 500 varieties of beetles. Explorer Torrey has discovered them and presented specimens of these Oaklanders to the Academy of Sciences.

And No Woman in the Case.

Pilot's play Book.

Ninety eight thousand two hundred and sixty seven questions were asked in the Parnell case.

Not Exactly Evangelists.

Sacramento Weekly News.

It is not an impossible thing that Peter might whitewash.

FEDERAL POLITICS.

John Tompkins' Fight—Committees of the House.

A Washington dispatch says that the fight for United States Marshal for California lies between Drew of Sacramento and John W. Tompkins, Chief of Police of this city, with the chances in favor of the former.

Concerning committees of the House, the correspondent says: The greater part of Reed's attention is now occupied in selecting committees. Although Mr. Morrow was absent from the caucus, he has been of great service to Reed in his fight, and will doubtless get what he wants.

Mr. Morrow said:

"I am a candidate for the Appropriation Committee; there I can be of more service to California than anywhere else. I do not expect a chairmanship. As far as my own personal interest and cases concerned I would prefer the Committee on Commerce, Section of Law, or some such position where we would only meet once a year. That would suit me first rate, but I could be of no use to California on such a remote committee."

With Morrow on the Appropriation, McKenna on Ways and Means, Van Dever Chairman of "Coinage, Weights and Measures," De Haven on Rivers and Harbors, Currie on Public Buildings and Grounds, Biggs on his own committee, Mr. Reed would show the people of the Pacific Coast that he is not hostile to those interests which are of most vital importance to them. The committees will be appointed about the 20th of the month.

THEIR LAST GAME.

The Oaklands Have Disbanded for the Season of 1889.

The champion Oaklands played their last game of the season with the Bostons Saturday, and lost by a score of 11 to 7. The boys made a poor showing. Geraghan in the points did not do as well as his friends expected. The bean eaters found little difficulty in finding his curves. The game was called in the seventh inning back to the sixth on account of the rain, after Oakland had scored two runs.

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AUTOMATIC JUSTICE.

A Newspaper Jurist Discusses a New Machine.

Examiner.

The course of Justice Laidlaw of Oakland in fining himself $50 for drunkenness deserves more than a passing comment. The plan of making a man judge of his own case is not in accordance with the canons of jurisprudence, although in the present instance it seems to have worked very well. What must have been the state of Justice Laidlaw's mind when he ordered himself to stand up for sentence? Did the timidity of the prisoner or the rigor of the magistrate predominate? The criminal half of the Laidlaw brain must have been in a state of pitiable agitation and terror. It knew before the judicial lips had spoken that there was no hope of mercy. It knew the inflexible mind of the Judge, and realized that there was no chance of impeaching witnesses or bolstering the court with technicalities.

If the criminal element in Justice Laidlaw's composition had felt inclined to resort to legal quibbles it might have put in an excellent plea to the jurisdiction of the court. But it realized that this would only postpone the sentence without bringing any mitigation, and it preferred not to make a fight.

It would be interesting to know whether the Justice regarded the trembling prisoner at the bar with absolute impartiality. That he could have done so seems almost impossible. Perhaps he leaned a little harder $50 in his wrath to the side of mercy. Or perhaps he took up so straight that he leaned backward. A Judge less deeply interested in proving his theory of sobriety would have made the fine $49 instead of $50. One thing is certain. The prisoner was not hauled to the police station in a patrol wagon, and allowed to accept the hospitality of the City Prison for the night before his arraignment. There is that much advantage in being a Police Judge, even one of an austere Brutus-like nature.

We do not believe that the Laidlaw plan is a safe precedent to follow. If it came to a settled principle that magistrates could try themselves we should have a rush of undesirable candidates for the judiciary. If Justice Laidlaw had a right to fine himself he had an equal right to sentence himself. On that principle a Judge might shoot a man for contempt of court and then order the Sheriff of Intrepidity county himself to be hanged. On the whole we prefer the old fashioned way.

A LITTLE PREVIOUS.

Editor Oakes Speculates on the Great Futurity Stakes.

Haywards Journal.

It is quite evident that interested parties are busily at work nursing their plans for a division of this county. The town-affected to Oakland are already moving in the matter of becoming a part of Oakland or Berkeley. It is self evident that a quiet but strong effort is being made by Oakland capitalists to land Niles as a helping hand to capture the county seat, especially such shrewd men as El Denison and others, as is shown by the purchase of property and cutting up of large tracts around Niles. We have so far refrained from agitating the question, thinking it a little previous, but when the time arrives for action in Niles will find out that she has a formidable rival in Haywards, and that the people of this town and vicinity will make a vigorous fight to get the county seat. Our population is increasing at a rapid rate, especially in the suburbs, and we believe Haywards has many strong supporters in other sections. We have just the place for the county seat—a large plaza—that the town would lease gratis for the erection of county buildings. We make it, for the courthouse permanent, if the county is divided, and it will be a fight to the finish.

Be Laid Law Down to Himself.

Napa Register.

For the first time, we believe, an instance is recorded where a Police Judge *sat down* upon himself. Alexander Laidlaw, the presiding magistrate of one of the local courts of Oakland, the other day got good and badly drunk, painted the town red, and subsequently administered to himself the same kind of corrective medicine he is in the habit of administering to other petty offenders. In his own court and before himself he pleaded guilty, censured himself severely, and fined himself $50, with the usual alternative. He promptly paid the fine, and did more, promised he would never let himself have another drop of liquor as long as he lived, and if his weakness should leave the best of him again he would resign his position in disgrace. Laidlaw, with all your faults, you are a good deal of a brick. We keep your pseudo.

He Kisses the Babies.

Sacramento Bee.

Ex Governor George C. Perkins, now a resident of Alameda, whose latest political aspiration was to be elected United States Senator, is in harness again, say the Knowing ones. This time he is willing to run for Congress in this district, to succeed Hon. Joseph McKenna. After serving in the lower house he hopes to take Stanford's place in the Senate. When Perkins gets into a campaign he "runs like a crazy kid." He has a trick of making friends with the ladies, by kissing all the babies, and, when he gets a chance, he is the General Sherman on stacks the lips of all the pretty girls.

The Afro-American Convention.

The Alameda County League of Colored Citizens, No. 1, will hold a meeting tomorrow evening in the lecture room of the African Methodist Episcopal Church to elect delegates to the convention that meets in this city on January 15th for the purpose of organizing a State organization, and electing delegates to the National Convention which meets at Washington, D. C., on the first Monday in February. In the convention Alameda county is entitled to ten delegates.

The West Point Cadetship.

The competitive examination for the appointment to the West Point cadetship will be held tomorrow in the Board of Education rooms at the City Hall, and will be conducted by County Superintendents Howard of Sacramento, Webster of Solano, and Fisher of Alameda.

A Candidate.

The Hollister *free lance* brings out Superior Judge Breen of San Benito as a candidate for the Supreme bench. He is a Republican.

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"The Oakland Baseball Club has rendered an invaluable service to the merchants of this city, I tell you," said a gentleman on Washington street this morning, "and it was all owing to the many wagers made on the outcome of the race for the pennant. The Oaklands won, and so there are lots of bets to pay over here, and it is safe to say every branch of trade in this city is benefited by it. I know I have profited largely by making suits of clothes for the winners." The speaker was Joe Lancaster, whose tailoring establishment is on the corner of Tenth and Washington streets.

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Fence in the Quarry.

A gentleman giving the name of Smith really lost his life at the old quarry on the Blue property, near Pleasant Valley, last evening. It had been his custom to select Eastern friends at the Pleasant Hotel, and last evening he started home by the way of Pleasant Valley and Lake Merritt. In some way, probably owing to the darkness, he drove into the quarry pond, and soon found himself in the water, which the rains have filled full of water. Mr. Smith all good and started to walk ahead but he soon came to a fence like the pit, and was over 20 feet of water. His cries brought people to his aid, and they, finding his clothes, he was not discovered in time. The morning he was found in 6 feet of water, the fence at the pond, ready to repair the one spoiled.

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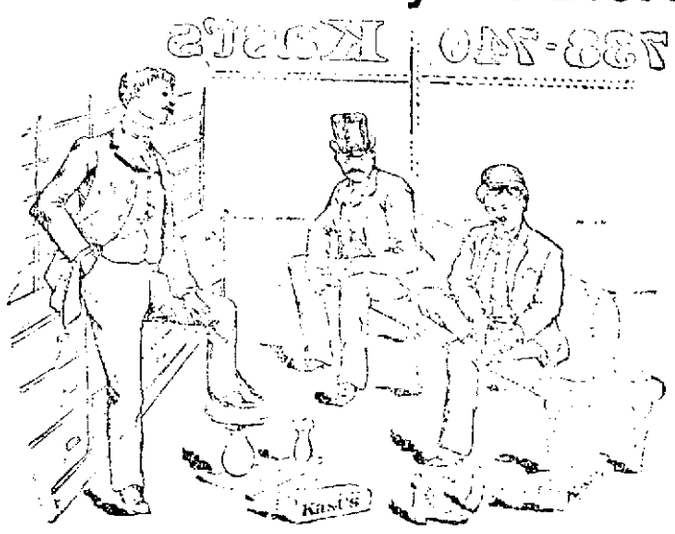

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PULPIT NOTES.

High Tribute to the Founder of Palo Alto's School.

DR. BOTHWELL SEVERELY SCORED.

Need of Missionary Work in Wicked Temescal. Where Fifteen Saloons Oppose Two Crosses.

"The Religious and Educational Outlook for California and the Pacific Coast" was the subject on which Dr. Dille preached an unusually interesting sermon yesterday morning. He outlined the church work of the future in sweeping terms, expressing the sad belief that the time has passed when the church can live on its reputation. The chief fear is that the future must work it out to do what it proposes to do—encourage a saving faith in God's day. There is great need of saving local work on this coast, and of the church help to the sound thinkers here, that the good field with its sheaves may not be gathered in by fanatics and the enterprising exponents of pseudo-religion.

Dr. Dille touched in the highest terms of the grand educational work for which Stanford is doing at Palo Alto. The closing portion of his sermon on this subject will be read with the utmost interest:

"The church cannot live any longer as it has in the past on traditions and sacerdotalism and ecclesiasticism. It must develop a religion itself the benevolent and helpful, and evidently practical that it claims to be. It will go to the wall, and it ought to go to the wall if it does not satisfy the utilitarian spirit of the age. It will go down under the heavy blows more and more to look for its support at the feet of the advanced thinkers of human progress, and to know it, where they that are its best friends.

"In the history of the Pacific coast yet to be written, the years last past will be put down as the second form of God's grace to our shores, as the first was the gold, and today we need the heroism, the conservatism, the liberalism and the self-denial of the men and women of the pioneering—the patriotic fathers and mothers of the Pacific coast—to provide for the tide of immigration as their prowess led for that of gold. Our religious and educational institutions must become a save commerce with the empire that is being founded here.

"And what we want is a broad philanthropy that shall deal with the problems of the coast—a philanthropy that shall not content itself with giving food and clothing to the poor, but helping them into the lower things to lift, and thus enable them to help themselves in the higher things. The best philanthropy is an educational one, and it is better to save men than to rescue them. It is better to save themselves from the degradation and misery and sin than to restore them to manhood and virtue. The true philanthropy is not content with ameliorating a condition; it aims to prevent and remove the causes of the condition.

"It is better to remove the causes of our social evils and miseries than to provide temporary relief for the victims of them. Philanthropy never reaches its highest expression until it ceases to content itself with the mere amelioration of misery and pain, with the aim to relieve humanity of its ignorance, superstition and vice, and so on its way.

"The progress of humanity may be measured by the comparison of the monuments and memorials erected in every age to perpetuate the memory of the builders of the departed friends. The desire to perpetuate the memory of the dead of our loved ones is human, and it is to do so as to bless the living; divine. For the days that the Pyramids were built to hold the dust of long-dead kings, to the room of the nineteenth century, pieces of cold granite have been piled above the dead to gratify a narrow and selfish affection or ambition, but these monuments full of their object and the powerless to rescue those who sleep beneath them from oblivion. Here in our Mountain View Cemetery rises a slender pointing shaft which cost $[illegible]—enough to have endowed a college or an observatory, or to have founded a score of Christian churches. I know the builder of that monument has many worthier ones, I believe, to your judge, whether in the light of the nineteenth century with its duty of opportunities and present needs, with the elevation, education and salvation, only a question of dollars and cents, such a use of money is either wise or benevolent.

"Look at the Lick Observatory, erected to perpetuate the memory of a man, and for the sole purpose of revealing the stellar mysteries. Look yonder at Palo Alto, where lies the dust of Leland Stanford Jr., a native of the Golden West, where 35,000 acres—with buildings to dedicate to beauty them, have been dedicated to the education and uplifting of the sons and daughters of California, as well as to the memory of an only and loved son.

"I have recently had the privilege of reading the Mss. of Senator Stanford's instructions to the trustees of his university (they are not yet published) and of a long conversation with him as to his plans concerning it, and am fully convinced that his princely gift is of more real value to our people than twice the same enormous sum would have been if applied to the erection and endowment of hospitals, asylums or other institutions of a purely charitable character, since it tends to obviate the need of charity.

"This connected something on the plan of Cooper Institute and Union, though on a far greater scale. Though the latter institution has given a free industrial and technical education to 40,000 young men and women, 1,000 of whom strewed flowers on the grave of Peter Cooper, its noble founder, when, full of years and honors, he was borne to his burial.

"As to the moral influence there that is to pervade the Palo Alto University, its founder gives a sufficient guarantee when he says: 'I desire that the pupils shall be made to realize the evil of intemperance and the economic burdens it imposes.' He then refers to the fact that more adult males are engaged in selling liquor in this country than are engaged in tilling the soil, and estimates that the loss to society by the traffic in distilled liquors is 25 per cent of the nation's production. If he would include the traffic in fermented and brewed liquors (which is equally destructive) he might add that the two together directly or indirectly, destroy nearly one-half of all that is produced.

"There are to be no saloons at Palo Alto, but there is to be a church there, which the Senator says is to be the costliest building there, seating 500, for, says Mr. Stanford, 'in old buildings, that devoted to divine service should be the best.'

"There is to be religious instruction, too, in the Stanford University. While the articles of endowment most properly and wisely prohibit sectarianism, they provide for religious teaching. The great truths of the immortality of the soul, and of the dependence upon, and responsibility to, the Creator are to be studiously inculcated.

"Of course this secular institution will not, in my opinion, equal our Christian schools for Christians, nor will it surpass them in the literary and scientific training it will give; and as for cheapness of board and tuition the Senator says that with all its vast endowment it will not be able to make a student's expenses as low as they are at one of our Methodist colleges on this coast.

"But the gift of that great university to our highly favored commonwealth places Leland Stanford as the foremost benefactor, not only in this State, but of the nation.

"If doing a great deed with a lofty motive constitutes greatness then he deserves to be called a great man. What grander enterprise can be conceived than a People's University, and what sublimer motive than that which builds for youth intelligence, religion?

"In the coming years when the names of many of California's mid-winters will be forgotten, when their fortunes shall have been wasted by unworthy heirs, or sunk in unsuccessful business ventures—may when their marble mausoleums shall mean nothing to humanity, and stir no response in any human heart, that monument of Leland Stanford will stand to keep his honored name alive. I think it forever to the destiny of our queenly young State thrown here by the West, and weaving the University as the brightest jewel in her crown. It will stand to remind generations yet unborn that when this good, great man was left childless, he made the sons and daughters of the Golden West the heirs of his intelligence and reared a monument that shall be forever a benediction and an inspiration to youth and aspiration and hope.

"So it said that one-third of the students in the European universities break down in early life through dissipation; another third are prematurely worn out; the remaining third govern Europe.

"By his wise precaution against dissipation, and by his provision for the symmetrical education of both hand and brain, Senator Stanford's University is likely to furnish a larger proportion of the future rulers of this new empire.

MRS. JULIA WARD HOWE.

Women Should be Admitted to the Ministry.

A good sized audience greeted Mrs. Julia Ward Howe in Unitarian Hall yesterday. She preached an extended discourse on "Power and its Relation to the Benefiting of Humanity." The meaning of the term "power" was discussed. Every form and system of society she said revolves around some central idea. Man does what he thinks he believes is worthy to be loved. The earliest form of power was compulsory force, as the shaft of the military power, the cannon and the kings. The shaft now is one and the people are among. The popular will, which made the monarch can also unmake him, as has often been illustrated. In the world today, instead of true power there is a degradation of powerlessness. We seem unable to emancipate ourselves from the slavery to gold and crowded and luxury. In the present state of society the great masses content to hold up the man who has degraded them. The wicked tyrannies of society, she said, are all founded on the wicked selfishness of individuals. To emancipate the people from the selfdom and allow the great masses to exercise their maximum of power the State must help the church and popularize its ennobling principles. The people must learn that social need and greed must give place to social duties and obligations. Notwithstanding that in Catholic countries the people are bound down by the State, and the political jurisdiction would keep them ignorant if they could, yet that is better than that he or she who knows no good except pleasure and self satisfaction. With all our improvements the heavenly spirit is needful to steer by. To better the condition of mankind the established truths should take the place of forced truths. Mutual concern and harmony should prevail now. The means encompassing this end. The second principle is to change the views of the gay and indolent. Men who are driven to rest from religion, as they think, will prevent enjoyment. Much of the teachings have tended this way. The Quaker had heard this very strongly of late, and the character of Christ seemed to have been written by Thomas à Kempis for concerning the author of which she had doubtless was mentioned as an illustration. There are many persons to whom any knowledge of Christianity is as foreign as to a Mussulman or a savage. Let each one learn his duty in the world, and he or she will be at peace forever. The sermon concluded by a glorious tribute to the Unitarian Church and some of its members. Mrs. Howe spoke later on the subject "Women in the Ministry." She believed that it would not go on with a rush, but with a real solid movement in the progress of the world. The proper ministry of religion is incomplete, she thought, until women are admitted on the same standing as men.

EPISCOPAL MISSIONS.

Rev. F. D. Miller Tells What a Bad Place Temescal Is.

The semi-annual Union Missionary Meeting of the Episcopal Clerical Association of Alameda and Contra Costa counties was held last evening at St. John's Church. Dr. Akerly read the service, and a choir of youths rendered the responsive singing very acceptably. Rev. Hobart Chetwood read the scripture lesson, and was followed by Rev. John A. Emery of St. Andrew's Church. Missionary work, said Rev. Emery, is the barometer that indicates the condition of church life. The church that takes no interest in its mission is either dead or dying or dry rot. More has been done for missions by the Church of England in the last twenty-five years than in the two preceding centuries. In America during that time the work has increased one hundredfold.

Rev. F. D. Miller of Temescal said he had traveled for many years up and down the Pacific coast, and knew of no place more in need of missionary work than Temescal. There are now in that place fifteen liquor saloons, and to offset their evil influences only two crosses, the Catholic Church and the Grace Episcopal Mission. The Presbyterians and Methodists are making brave efforts to get a foothold there. The mission, while not the most flourishing in the world, is yet struggling upward. For years they sat on boards supported by oil cans. By the kindly aid of other churches they are now comfortably seated under their own roof. He hoped the congregation would continue its aid. He was not making an appeal for the little heathen of the Congo, but for the heathen of Temescal, who were quite as much in need of missionary work and assistance. The result of Rev. Miller's appeal was quite a generous contribution.

WOMEN FOR THE MINISTRY.

A Training Home to be Established at Berkeley.

At the conclusion of the services at the Unitarian Hall yesterday afternoon, in speaking of women in the ministry Mr. Wendte created something of a surprise when he stated that there is soon to be founded in this community a training home for men and women who wish to enter the ministry. The home will probably be at Berkeley. Among those prominently interested in the proposition are Rev. Dr. Stebbins, Dr. Elliott, Mr. Van Ness and others.

THEOSOPHY.

An Address by Mrs. Harris on "What We Think."

The Theosophical Society held their open meeting last evening in the Synagogue with a good attendance. Mrs. Harris addressed the meeting on "What We Think."

We are what our thoughts have made us during the several incarnations through which we have passed. Descartes, after studying all the various philosophies, came to this conclusion: "I am, because I think." Thought exists; we do not create thought, we generate it as an electrical machine generates electricity. But we give color to that thought and send it forth on its mission. Thought is a silent power for good or evil whose result is far reaching, although to us unknown. The majority of men do not think; they allow the current thought of the day to float through their mind. A lunatic gives expression to these thoughts; but so much as we think in this disconnected manner do we resemble the lunatic. When we allow another's thought to control or dominate us we are only reflecting their consciousness and losing self-control. We should always consciously control and direct our own thoughts. By doing so, and only thinking beneficent thoughts, we become conscious working factors for the elevation of humanity. An interesting discussion followed the address. The theme for next Sunday evening will be "Spirituality."

DR. BOTHWELL'S CRITIC.

Rev. D. E. Johnson on Mrs. Woodworth's Show.

Rev. D. E. Johnson, pastor of the African Methodist Church on Fifteenth street, expressed himself freely and forcibly last night in criticising Dr. Bothwell's recently published article entitled "Pious Fraud."

The article referred to was a severe denunciation of Mrs. Woodworth and her meetings, calling upon the Mayor to suppress them and the papers to cry them down.

Mr. Johnson said he had attended these meetings probably oftener than any other minister in town, and had exerted his influence to encourage her. By so doing he supposed he had exposed himself to the doctor's ire, and must be rated as one of the fools.

Nevertheless he regarded it ill-befitting in Dr. Bothwell to criticise those meetings so sharply. His time and labor would be much better spent asking the Mayor and the papers to cry down and suppress the numerous dens of infamy known to exist in Oakland.

It might be true as Dr. Bothwell had said, that Mrs. Woodworth is ignorant of history, literature, doctrine, and scripture. Notwithstanding this she has come to Oakland unannounced, has been opposed by the devil, some saloon keepers, and some divines, and yet draws greater audiences than any minister in town without the aid of a fine choir and organ.

"Either Mrs. Woodworth has given herself over body, soul and spirit to the devil (which some believe who have seen her)" said Mr. Johnson, "or Dr. Bothwell has spoken against the Holy Ghost." It was not criticising the doctrine, but the power, which was so signal.

As to Dr. Bothwell's reference to Mrs. Woodworth's money-making the speaker said it was a slab so mean that he hoped the doctor was ashamed of it when he saw it in print. The taking up of collections was but a poor reward, while every minister in this city had assurance of comfortable support, or else he would go where pastures are greener.

Missionary Meetings for Lent.

At the recent session of the Northern Convention in San Mateo a resolution was adopted looking to the holding of a series of missionary meetings in Oakland and San Francisco during the Advent season, and the Rev. Messrs. Mead, Gray, and Chetwood were appointed a committee to see to carrying out the idea if found feasible.

The annual election of officers resulted as follows: Secretary, Rev. J. Simonds; Treasurer, Rev. H. Lee; Members of the Executive Committee, Rev. J. A. Emery and Dr. Lathrop.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Meeting of the Plymouth Avenue Congregational Society.

The regular monthly meeting of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Plymouth Avenue Congregational Church was held in the chapel of the church last Friday. Reports were heard from the various committees; also from the delegates to the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor convention, held in East Oakland last Tuesday evening, after which the following programme was rendered: Recitation, George Henderson; recitation, Miss Addie Hilliard; vocal duet, "Beautiful Moonlight," Misses Hoskie and May Doyle; recitation, Herbert Whitlock; vocal solo, "Bonnie Charlie," Thomas Hendry; reading, "How We Elected Our Minister"; organ duet, piano and organ March, Misses Doyle and Fannie Alexander. At the conclusion refreshments were served and a most good time enjoyed. Among those present were: Rev. Dr. George Moore, Rev. E. P. Oakley, Mrs. E. P. Oakley, Mr. Whitman, Mrs. Marshal, Mrs. G. L. Voice, Mrs. Lehney, Mr. Hoffman, Mrs. Binder, Mr. Binder, Mr. Whitton, O. L. Morgan, Mrs. Bigby, Miss A. Higby, L. Hendry, Miss L. Hilling, Miss A. Hilling, C. Lehney, Miss D. Farr, R. W. Newlands, Miss N. Latham, Miss F. Marshall, Miss Beras, Miss Cox, L. L. Wirt, Miss A. Lowry, Miss E. Voice, Edward Higby, Miss E. Ingols, Miss D. Alexander, Mrs. F. Alexander, J. Benton Jr., H. Benton, Miss L. Torquin, A. Alexander, Miss H. Doyle, Miss B. Benson, Miss C. Bolles, L. Brown, Miss M. Doyle, F. Potter, Miss B. York, B. Farr, Miss E. Coulter, J. Love, J. Smith, Mrs. L. Baker, B. Love, S. Love, Miss M. Bolles, G. Henderson, Mr. Whitton.

What Dr. Dille Said.

Rev. E. R. Dille was quoted in a San Francisco daily as saying in a lecture: "That one boy in every five was ruined and one girl in every five was doomed to a life of misery and shame through the saloon." What he did say was this: "One family out of every five must furnish a boy to be ruined or a girl to be laid on the altar of sorrow, misery and living martyrdom to keep up this great national institution, the saloon, that is he prize to pay our taxes and helping ten times more to make them, and that kindly clients nearly all our public officials for us. Are you a father or a mother, and have you contributed a boy to be a drunkard or a girl to be a drunkard's wife? If not, some other family has to furnish your quota. Don't you think it's a little selfish, voting to keep the saloon open to grind up boys and contributing nothing to the grist?"

RELIGIOUS GOSSIP.

Rev. J. H. Garnett's View of the Westminster Confession of Faith.

Rev. Dr. Horton was unable to preach last evening, on account of a severe cold that has settled on his lungs. He is threatened with pneumonia.

Says the *Pacific Churchman*: "A man by the name of Vertue (not virtue) was reported lately to have renounced the ministry of the Episcopal Church and to have joined the Baptists, by way of the Alameda Terrace Baths and a public denunciation in the Harrison Street Baptist Church, Oakland, of the fold which he says he formerly belonged to. All we care to say about the affair is that there is not and has not been any such person in the ministry of the American Episcopal Church, so far as any available record shows."

Rev. Frank Dixon of Charleston, W. Va., has accepted a call to the Tenth Avenue Baptist Church, East Oakland.

Rev. R. M. Stevenson, a clergyman of the Presbyterian faith, in charge of the new Messiah Church at Fruit Vale, has removed from San Francisco and established his home at 1398 Twelfth avenue, East Oakland.

Rev. J. H. Garnett, late pastor of the Tenth Avenue Baptist Church, has said in regard to the Westminster Confession of Faith, which the New York Presbytery has decided to revise, that "it is out of date and will not bear remodeling. The best thing for our brethren to do is to put this Confession of Faith in alcohol and place it carefully on some sacred shelf."

Rev. J. K. Montgomery of Sparta, Ill., to whom was extended a call by the new Presbyterian society just organized in this city, has sent word that he cannot accept.

In his address to young men last evening, Rev. C. H. Hart advised them not to put off the day of their search for the soul's salvation. In these times there are many cheap things, and among them cheap religions. He implored the young men to avoid all such; they were infinitely more costly in the end.

COLDS AND THEIR EFFECT.

Caused Mortality From Bronchial and Pulmonary Diseases.

The continued rainy, damp and cold weather has caused unusual prevalence of bronchial and pulmonary diseases. Often deaths reported at the Health Office in the past ten days three were caused by pneumonia, two by bronchitis, two by phthisis, one by rheumatism and one by typhoid fever.

Made One by Law.

William Young of Germany, 30 years of age, and Margaret Fardy, a native of Ireland, were married by marriage by laying on of hands in the presence of P. F. Dillon as witness.

To Settle a Title.

Mary N. Leland has sued Carrie and George W. Burch to settle the title to property on Filbert and Twenty-fourth streets.

DEEDS AND MORTGAGES.

Specially reported daily for each day for The Tribune.

DEEDS.

MONDAY, December 9th.

James Ferguson to J. S. Forty, 40 acres, 4th and 5th, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues, San Antonio water front, Oakland [illegible] — 10

William M. Stewart to Ira P. Naphthalene, W Santa Clara ave, no. 8 E from Union street, SE 1/4 [illegible] — 10

Mathew Kiley to William [illegible] N seventy-four feet, W [illegible], W 24 ft, Oakland — 10

Isaac Ayer and wife to [illegible] Parcels 25 and 27, Washington tract, Oakland — 10

William B. Harmon Jr. to William Austin and wife—Subdivision A and B, lot 10, block 8, [illegible] No. 2, Oakland — 10

J. West Martin and W. G. Hershey to Samuel P. Knight—Street [illegible] lot 37, Golden Gate tract, Sec. 6, Oakland township — [illegible]

Simon Wetterwald, by [illegible] to G. Gates—S 17 feet of lot E from Lizzie, E 100, S to Central Pacific Railroad, W 100, N 122 — [illegible] mortgage

John W. Nott, Sr. to [illegible] Sobowski—Lots 12 and 13, block 22, [illegible] — [illegible]

W. W. Cameron to [illegible] Clarke—N Clarke street, [illegible] W from Telegraph avenue, N 124 ft, W to Grove, S 139 ft, E to Oakland [illegible] — 10

E. A., wife of J. E. McIlrath to M. M. Judd—Lots 7 to 9, block 202, Addendum tract, Oakland township — [illegible]

Same to William T. Florence—Lot 8, block 201, same tract — [illegible]

Charles A. Bailey to J. N. Williams—W 50 feet, lots 18 and 19, block A, Woolsey tract, Oakland township — [illegible]

J. K. Meyer and wife to W. Lane, E. Booth—Lots 23 and 24, block 4 P. Hodgass tract, No. 3, Berkeley — [illegible]

E. H. Gausberger to [illegible] Jones—50 feet strip of land on [illegible] grantor, Edenvale township — [illegible]

John A. Young to C. A. Kilpatrick—Lot 11, block 6, Crawford Tract, Oakland town site — [illegible]

E. S. Chadwick to Brooklyn Presbyterian Church—Lot 2, block 11, Prospect tract, Brooklyn township — [illegible]

William M. Stewart to George L. Wright—SE corner Railroad avenue and Lafayette street, SE 1/4 [illegible], Alameda — [illegible]

G. W. Lewis to George Ferguson—Lot 10 x 100, portion block 8, Mead tract, Livermore — [illegible]

W. H. Glascock, deceased, to trustee, to J. P. Mulliane—W Fisher, 202 x 5 from Thirty-second st, 5 x 67 x 32, Oakland — [illegible]

G. G. Baker to Francis Williams—Lot 2, block M, resubdivision of portion of Roberts & Wolfskill tract, Oakland township — 15

James H. Smith to Robert [illegible]—Lots 7 to 12, block E, Peralta Heights, Oakland — 10

Ann Bailey to A. W. Oxley—N Berkeley way, lot 1 E from Grove, E [illegible] 125, Berkeley — 10

D. W. C. Gaskill to John W. Hearst—Lots 1 and 16, block G, Gaskill's addition to Parsons Gobeen tract, Oakland — [illegible]

M. A., wife of B. M. Stallings and Stennie M. Lord, Berkeley, to Park, Berkeley — 10

August Hermann and wife to [illegible] Lot 19, Remme tract, San Leandro — 200

A. J. Snyder to R. H. Davis—Lots 23 and 1, block R, resubdivision of Roberts & Wolfskill tract, Oakland township — 10

John W. Richards to M. J. Ward—Subdivisions 3, 6, 22 and 23, block 26, Oxley's second, Berkeley — 10

MORTGAGES

MONDAY, December 9th.

Henry McKerrow and wife to A. W. Glover—Undivided [illegible] acres, Oakland, Gollitz, Eden township — 500

Isador Bloodgood to Bay City Building and Loan Association—Third, 100 W from Jefferson, W 50 x 150, Oakland — 2000

D. S. Calkins to Bank of Alameda—Eleven, Vista acres, E W from Park, W 30 x 150, Alameda — 150

R. Franke to W. W. Camaro—As in deed — 100

Same to A. W. F. Jones—S corner Grove and Twenty-fourth, E 125 x 100, W 100, N 75 x 100, E 50 x 100, S Twenty-fourth, 125 x 100, W 50 x 100, N 50 x 100, E 100 x 100 x 50 from Twenty-fourth, S 100 x 100, Oakland — 12,000

John Burke to W. Webster, 100 N from Eighth, N 50 x 90, Alameda — 300

George T. Wright to Trustees San Francisco Savings Union—As in deed — 5000

W. W. Cameron to Robert Lake—Lots 1 to 4, 23 and 24, Cameron's subdivision lot 52, Oakland Land and Improvement Company's subdivision, south R.R., Oakland, Murray township — 12,500

Andrew Gibson and wife to J. S. Knowles—Lots 7, 8 and 9, block 1, Knowles & Potter's subdivision Kellersberger tract, Oakland — 100

John W. Hearst to D. W. C. Gaskill—As in deed — 486

C. W. Bradshaw to Margaret M. [illegible]—Lots 7, 8 and 9, block 7, Lincoln — 700

A. L. Tubbelder to Minnie [illegible], wife of August Hermann—As in deed — 136

William Wagner to Christian [illegible] et al.—S. Hayes street, 75 x 150, Eighth, E Brooks, Oakland — 1000

A Puzzle.

Why grown men and women with matured reflective powers should weight their small allowance is really a puzzle. Hosts of otherwise sensible people thus bewilder conjecture. It is one of the things which the late poet called Love poetry exclaimed, "no reason can be found out." Diseases grow faste that weeds, and moreover, beget one another. Incipient indigestion, a touch of biliousness, slight irregularity in the bowels of body—what complex and serious oddity disturbances, not local, but general. In these not been, if disregarded? But a cure drive off the foe at the first onset with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a sovereign among preventives. A constitution invigorated, a circulation enriched, a brain and stomach tranquilized by this natural medicine, becomes well nigh invulnerable. The Bitters counteract malaria, rheumatism and kidney complaint.

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FROM JAY COUNTY.

How Mrs. Woodworth Paid for Forty Acres.

Dr. Hess, one of the medical examiners who committed Anderson to the insane asylum on Saturday, says that Mrs. Woodworth lived near him in Jay county, Ind. About six years ago she discovered that she was possessed of a strange influence, and since then she has traveled from place to place, exerting this influence and calling it a revival service. Mr. Woodworth traveled with her, and sold gingerbread in a side tent. In this way they made money enough to purchase forty acres in Jay county, Ind.

West Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bunock returned from Iowa last week.

Two cottages are being built on Union street, between Eighth and Tenth, by William N. Wade.

At a meeting of Sarah Rebekah Degree Lodge, No. 105, I. O. O. F., in Masonic Hall, Friday night the following officers were elected: Mrs. S. A. Parker, Noble Grand; Mrs. Ella Striker, Secretary; Mrs. Maddox, Financial Secretary, and Mrs. Reed, Treasurer.

A young man who drives the delivery wagon for H. M. Collins, the grocer, was driving along a street in this part of town, when the wheels of the wagon struck a large chuck hole, overturning the vehicle and throwing the young man out. Besides getting a few scratches he was not hurt.

Duces Tecum.

There will be an important meeting of Lyon Relief Corps on Wednesday, December 11th, commencing at 1 o'clock. The members are requested to be present and bring twenty of their friends.

LETTER LIST.

OAKLAND, ALAMEDA CO. SAY, Dec. 9, 1889.

Week's list of letters remaining in the postoffice. These letters will be held two weeks from the date of this advertisement and are then sent to the Dead Letter Office.

Adams, E F	Alle, E A
Anderson, A X	Anderson, August
Andrews, J	Erickson
Baker, [illegible]	Bange, George
Baker, Hattie	Bradshaw, Charles W
Barlow, Mrs Robert	Barlow, [illegible]
Bartell, Professor J	Barton, Miss Marie
Bertrand, W	Bates, George
Bauman, [illegible]	Bauman, A
Belmont, [illegible]	Bellows, [illegible]
Bell, Amos	Berger, Mrs J Jan
Bates, Mrs L	Berlin, [illegible]
Biscoe, Miss Bertha	Black, J
Blind, [illegible]	Bloomfield, Charles
Bolton, Hattie	Bowers, Charles
Bowen, Lafon	Bowen, E B
Bowman, Mr	Boyce, William
Brett, Miss Celia	Brockhaus, Miss Carrie
Brooks, Augusta	Brown, [illegible]
Brown, C H	Brown, [illegible]
Burrows, Mr Sears	Burry, J H
Burrell, H H	Burnes, [illegible]
Burns, C S	Bush, H F
Butler, I E	Butler, A W
Butler, C P	
Cahill, Mrs Patrick	Connell, Emma
Callaway, H A	Cameron, Miss Frances
Carroll, P J	Cole
Chapman, Miss G	Cleveland, J A
Chadwick, Mrs V	Cross, Mrs Rose
Cheney, Mrs F W H	Chadbourne, J
Clark, Mrs C H	Cross, E W—2
Clark, Chas	Culver, Mrs
Cohen, H H, for P Eller	Collis, D A
Corson, R E	Corrigan, A E
Cottage, P	Cather, Miss Nellie
Coyne, A H	Cramer, Frank
Cushing, Miss E W	Currier, Miss M F
Dallaghan, John	Dillman, Marshal de Silva
Daly, John	
Davidson, Mrs T	Davis, Miss Lucy
Davis, Patrick	Dolan, W M A
Dodge, Miss M	Dodge, Mrs B F
Dorsey, Joaquin	Dorsey, Mrs C
Dorsey, Rosa	Dorsey, Miss J
De Porter, Mrs A C	De Vaney, R
Denison, Mrs	Dodge, Miss F
Dodge, Miss Sophia	Dodge, Dr J W
Donaldson, Miss S	Dorkey, Mrs Anna M
Dorkey, Florentin	
Fall, Mrs Sarah	Fairchild, Augusta
Estabrook, Mrs Fred	Fitzgerald, James H
Fleming, Mrs R	Forsaith, Thomas
Foster, Albert	Fox, Miss Mary
Foster, J J	Fitzgerald, Mrs B
Gabot or Garlot, A	Gamble, Mrs G J
Gilchrist, Charles	Gilbert, Miss Dottie
Gilliland, Mrs J	Gilliland, C H
Gibson, Mrs	Gibbons, J
Gonzales, Annie	Green, Miss Lucinda
Green, W W	Green, A J
Green, Miss Jacob	Grimes, Cora M
Griffin, Thomas	
Hansen, Miss E	Hardy, Alfred
Harris, F N	Hoverson, Mrs Rachel
Hayward, Mrs J F	Hayes, L
Heckmann, William	Hellmuth, Mrs Regina
Helms, Mrs Edward	Helzer, Yosef
Holmes, C D	Hopp, M
Howell, Mrs C	Hilmer, F
Hurley, Miss Mary	Hurd, W T
Hass, Frank	Irving, O
Jerrold, W H L	Jerrold, W H
Johnson, Miss A S	Johnson, Molly—2
Jensen, Augusta	Jones, G Porter
Jordan, Ellen	
Kendall, Grace	Kennard, Fred
Kline, Mrs M J	Kline, Robert C
Kohler, E F	Kress, F
Kraich, H	
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Lomas, Mollie V	Longworth, J A
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Mohr, R	Murphy, William
Massetto, J B	Murphy, Mathew
McGlynn, John	McCarthy, J
McDonald, Mrs Augusta	McLoyan, Miss M A
Moore, Henry W	McNeil, J B
McGlade, [illegible]	
Nicholson, Mrs B M	Nimmo, Miss Mary
Nagenson, Mrs H H	
O'Keefe, Johnny	O'Neil, Harry
Ormsbee, Miss	
Pantry, Walter	Pear, Mary
Patterson, Victor	Peterson, Amanda
Patterson, Miss Edna	Pierce, J G
Priestley, Miss Minnie	Pulsifer, J C
Ranson, H S	Randolph, Jack
Lehman, Mrs A	Reckford, H M
Remerey, George	Reed, Thomas
Reed, Mr and Mrs Lawrence	Richardson, J J
Riley, C E	Riley, Carlile
Roberts, Mrs Fred	Roberts, Mrs Fred S
Robinson, Mrs Johnston	Robinson, Michael
Ross, Joseph	Ross, Mrs A
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Soares, Owen	Simmons, Thomas J E
Seymour, Dr Rudolph	Sherwood, Ella
Short, Miss Annie L	Short, Bolden R—2
Simon, Miss Bertha	Smith, Miss Carrie
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Soares, Anselmo	Solo, Vincente
Stafford, T—2	Stanley, Mrs M K
Stone, Mrs M	Stolz, Chas M
Stewart, Mrs Lizzie	Swift, H A—2
Thomas, E J	Thighen, J J
Thomas, Minnie	Thomas, Jons
Thompson, Mrs Carey	Thompson, E H
Toll, Miss Zelia	Tyler, J H
Tay, J I	Trenewell, Thos H
Trendwell, Geo E	
Walker, Mr and Mrs	Warnbak, Mr
Weir, John	Watkins, J W
Whitehill, Mrs E R	Wheeler, Chas
Wilson, J N—2	Whittle, Mrs J C
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Wilson, H T	Wilson, Louis A
Wood, Miss Eva	Wilson, J C
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DR. BOTHWELL

Writes of the True Status of the Chinese.

BISHOP FOWLER'S RECENT ADDRESS

Replied to in a Very Conclusive Manner—Toleration—Morals of the Chinese.

Rev. G. W. Bothwell, D. D., of this city, writes in the *Methodist Recorder* of Pittsburg, Pa., an interesting paper on "The True Status of the Chinese on the West Coast," being some remarks on the recent address of Bishop Fowler on the Chinese question. He says:

It has been my good fortune to spend considerable time recently with Dr. Crawford, who has been in China for thirty-eight years, in the service of the Baptist Foreign Missionary Society; also, with a Congregational minister recently returned, who has been fifteen years in the Flowery Kingdom.

Let me call attention first, to the Chinese in their own country. It is the opinion of both of these men, who were for so long a time in a position to judge correctly, that nothing is to be apprehended by way of retaliation from the Chinese Government or from the Chinese people, either upon our missionaries there, or American citizens engaged in business in China, or in the way of annulment of treaties, or in the enforcement of severe discriminations against the United States Government contrary to treaty stipulations. The reasons for this opinion are:

1. That the policy of the Chinese Government at the present time is, as it has been in the past, to discourage emigration to this or any other country. They would be disposed, therefore, rather to look favorably upon any kind of policy in a foreign land which would have the reflex influence upon their own subjects of discouraging their leaving the open ports of the empire for another country.

2. Both of these gentlemen state that ignorance among the masses is much more prevalent than is generally imagined; so much so that very few of the people are able to read and write; and also should the fact be stated that many of the lower ranks of Chinese officials are almost equally ignorant. The severe measures resorted to on this coast to rid it of the Chinese are, in consequence, unknown, not only to the great majority of the Chinese officials of the classes indicated, but are absolutely unknown to the great mass of the Chinese people. There is, therefore, and can be no public sentiment among them which would be in any wise inimical to the interests of the United States Government, either aimed directly against its representatives and missionaries resident in China, or against the present Chinese policy of our Government.

The Chinese question, if understood anywhere in the United States, certainly best understood on this coast of any place in the country. Chinese agents and others who have made a study of the question and have the best facilities for observation, coincide with the views expressed above. In regard to this matter I have taken pains to quite fully inform myself. The Chinese who come to this coast are nearly all from the southern ports of China and speak a dialect which the vast majority of the Chinese in inland China do not understand. There is no question, moreover, that the great majority of Chinamen who come to America do so under contract with the famous Six Companies; and were it not for the perfection of this system and the collision of ship captains and ship owners who sail into the ports San Francisco and other Pacific coast ports, they would not be able to elude the vigilance of native officials by going aboard ships bound for San Francisco and other cities.

In reference to this policy of the Chinese government upon the question of emigration, there is no question whatever, because it is confirmed by the Christianized and most intelligent of the Chinese in this country, who declare the treatment of their countrymen, and by the testimony of missionaries and the statements of Chinese agents.

The good Bishop's criticisms, therefore, which amounted to predictions, are based upon incidental conversations with wily Chinese officials, who are astute politicians as the world produces, who tried either to draw out the good Bishop, or for State effect made statements which in themselves, were there any power to carry them out, might prove alarming.

WHY THE CHINESE ARE TOLERATED IN CALIFORNIA.

They are tolerated here because they have proved themselves especially useful as cheap laborers when other labor could not be had at any reasonable price, in completing the various branches of the Southern and Central Pacific railroads. Since then, in the extensive wheat farming of the State, and in the unparalleled fruit growing enterprises which have been in existence in this State for more than a quarter of a century, and in the varied horticultural interests of the State the Chinese have been largely employed.

These men were not only cheap laborers, but gave little trouble, for they lived their own places to sleep and herded themselves. California ranchmen, fruit growers and others throughout the State would appreciate this because barns, outhouses and other buildings were about the only accommodations they had to offer, which, of course, would not be agreeable to white laborers. There are yet few buildings in California outside of the small towns and cities.

As servants, as washermen and laundrymen and as employes in factories they have been a great convenience in the State. It is stated upon authority that 12,000 of them are employed in the shoe factories and other manufacturing establishments in the cities around San Francisco bay, to say nothing of the numbers elsewhere employed. The feeling against the Chinese is, however, general and pervasive, but perhaps not so bitter, as it is throughout the Southern States against the colored race. This is based upon the filthy and immoral character of the Chinese themselves, and further, upon their persistently alien character.

THE MORALS OF THE CHINESE.

As regard to their filthy modes of life I have anticipated in some degree by referring to the inferior accommodations with which they invariably content themselves. The following statement made by Mr. Blaine, in his political discussions, on pages 237 to 239 is to be taken as the absolute facts. He said to them: "There were in California, in 1879, 100,000 Chinese and about 35,000 in the Territories and elsewhere on the West coast; nine tenths of these are adult males. There were few women whose impurity was far beyond any Anglo Saxon conception of purity and lewdness. No one knew of every score could be found who had any claims to chastity. The unimagined foulness of Sodom and Gomorrah found their parallel in the atrocious nastiness of the Chinese quarter of San Francisco. Every one family is to be found in the entire Chinese population of the Pacific coast; there is no hearthstone, no comfort, no fireside of joy, no father or mother or brother or sister, no child cherished by parents, no ennobling influence among them and no ties of home. If, as a nation, we have a right to keep out infectious diseases, to exclude the criminal classes, we surely possess the right to exclude an immigration that reeks with impurity and can not come to us without plenteously sowing the seeds of moral and physical disease, of destitution and death."

Summarizing from what he has further said, they occupy their own quarters of the city, adhere to their own dress, speak their own language, worship in their own heathen temples, and inside the municipal, and independent of it, administer a code among themselves, even pronouncing the death penalty and executing it in criminal secrecy. If this were for one year only, or for five or ten, it might be claimed that more time is needed for domestication and assimilation; but this has been going on for a generation and it is true that the Chinaman approaches no nearer to our civilization than he did when the Golden Gate first received him. The Chinese quarter is horrible—inconceivably horrible. They live in large tenement houses, and large numbers are crowded into individual rooms without proper ventilation, with bad drainage and underground, with a great deal of filth. They live in underground rooms ten feet high, and with a flooring half way to the ceiling, crowded every night with sleepers. In these rooms I have seen eight and ten persons crowded into a space not more than ten feet square, a good many of whom were smoking opium. Having made a number of tours through the Chinese quarter, under the conduct of a guard, I am prepared to say that no exaggeration of the condition of these people, to my knowledge, has ever yet appeared in print. In many of the alleys in the Chinese quarters are long rows of shops, resorts of Chinese gamblers and highbinders. Chinese lottery shops or dens are scattered everywhere in these big cities.

It has been well said that the tendency of all this is tremendously toward evil, toward vice and abomination, toward everything opposed to the true spirit of Americanism and is very dangerous to our morality to our stability and to our success as a people and a nation. Millions more of these Chinese must come, if not prevented by any legislative moral restraint, increasing incalculably by numbers the evils already existing. While spirit of race prejudices and ineradicable peculiarities and conflict of interests must be developed, portending possible evil beyond conception. It is true the first one hundred has even practically passed a change from inoculation, and but of this number nearly one-half has been taught in the missionary schools in China. The greater the number who come here the more they will become confirmed in heathen barbarities, with an intense in every respect incalculably bad. Mr. Blaine well asked a question, which thinking Christian men who have had an opportunity for investigating the question can ask: "Under what possible sense of duty any American can feel that he promotes Christianity by the process of turning California over to heathenism I more than I am able to discover." Moreover, the Chinaman is not that soul of honor and honesty which he is presented to be. He very soon learns to take advantage of his employer, and to push his gambling, lottery, and other business contrary to the best sentiment of the people here, and even in spite of the laws of the State. What was true of the Chinese in 1879, as stated by Mr. Blaine, is just as true to-day. I come to this coast nearly two years ago under the impression entertained generally at the East, that Mr. Blaine had spoken for political effect, that the persecutions of the Chinese by the lower classes here was unreasonable and without any just ground other than race hatred, pure and simple.

Let it be further added, in regard to the moral character of the Chinese, that they know no Sabbath in their own or any other land, and that they are so distrustful of each other in China that when the time comes for them to leave their towns and cities for their threshing floors in the country, a dozen or twenty of them will sit up and watch each other all night to prevent stealing, one from the other. They are a physically and morally degenerate race, well nigh as much so as the Indians of America, who had become so thickly intermingled with the abominations of heathenism and so far removed from the influence of civilization as to become well nigh a hopeless race for the moralist and the missionary.

THE CHINESE ARE IN THIS CONDITION OR WELL NIGH SO FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:

1. They are aware of the great antiquity of their race.

2. They in consequence consider themselves one of the first civilized races, and as a result, possessed of a superior civilization.

3. The antiquity of their religion and philosophy in their way of thinking gives to both a superiority which they consider should not be questioned.

4. That they should be classed, in the mind of every thoughtful man, with the people of India as presenting well nigh insuperable barriers to the influence of our Christian civilization and to the uplifting influence of our most unselfish, benevolent enterprises entered upon and carried through in their behalf.

In regard to the vexed race problem in the Southern states, I am convinced that there will be no effectual solution found, until we adopt race representation for the colored people. In my judgment, nothing short of an amendment and a redraft of the Fourteenth Amendment, which shall provide for Congressional districts of the colored people throughout the Southern States will meet the necessities of the case. I am not nearly so hopeful of the Chinese; neither race representation nor citizenship under the Constitution as it is, nor any other benign influences at work will help us out of the difficulties in which we are involved with the Chinese. We must wait for some fullness of time, possibly to be ushered in by the Chinese Inland Mission, or other causes yet undiscovered, before we may expect to convey to the unnumbered millions of China the benefits and blessings of the gospel of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. The Christian churches and educators generally upon this coast, with whom should also be enumerated State legislatures and the statesmen of this coast, are doing all that Christianity or Christian statesmanship should require of them.

In conclusion, therefore, let me state that there is no danger whatever that the persecution, engaged in by the lower classes of California will ever be paid for by the blood of any of America's best men. That it will be atoned for there is no doubt, but not in that way. I am sorry that the probability of the adopting the Lutheran religion of Germany, the Episcopal of England, the Catholic, or any other form of the Christian religion, is to all human appearances infinitely remote from any speedy realization.

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Catarrh

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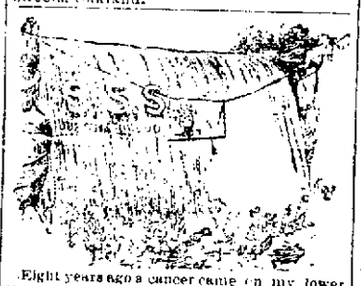

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DECEMBER GAIETIES

How People Have been Amusing Themselves Lately.

California College Concert—Surprise Parties and Balls—Coming Events and Gossip.

California College Concert.

The vocal and instrumental concert at California College, at Highland Place, on Friday night, notwithstanding the inclement weather, was largely attended and was a [illegible] success. Probably when better street car accommodation are secured Mary Street Hall will not accommodate all who want to attend the very interesting college entertainments. Professor Patmore presided [illegible] Professor Hubbard and Mr. Baker were with Professor Park in charge of the music in the concert, the programme of the evening included [illegible] the music was [illegible] in high grade, each by Mr. Morse, Brickhead [illegible] Miss Brickhead [illegible] Miss Morse [illegible] Miss Brickhead [illegible] Miss Morse [illegible] Mr. Morse [illegible] Mr. Morse [illegible] Mr. Brickhead and Miss Morse [illegible] Miss Brickhead [illegible] Miss Stillman [illegible] twice encored, Misses Morse [illegible] Miss Brickhead [illegible] Miss Brickhead [illegible] vocal solo. Miss M. Stillman. The next concert will be given in January [illegible].

Young Men's Institute Party.

Young Men's Institute No. [illegible] of North Oakland [illegible] the [illegible] at Pioneer Hall on Saturday evening last. A large [illegible] received guests were present. There was a supper served [illegible] for refreshments and speeches. Rev. [illegible] were given by George Cox, Col. W. [illegible] Prather, [illegible] by Towne of [illegible] Cox and Herrick were made [illegible] Deputy [illegible] Richardson, of [illegible] Mr. McCann, of [illegible] Mr. [illegible] of No. [illegible] and W. J. [illegible] of No. [illegible] N. M. [illegible] No. [illegible] the state of Illinois [illegible] as follows: President, William [illegible] Vice President, [illegible] Vice President, [illegible] Financial Secretary, William [illegible] Corresponding Secretary, Charles [illegible] Recording Secretary, John [illegible] Treasurer, A. Lane Grant; Inside Guard, John [illegible]; Outside Guard, George [illegible]; Grand Deputy, J. E. Rivers; Executive Committee, M. J. Lawrence, [illegible] Joseph Patti, Kennedy, Henry Ramos, and John Callaghan.

Surprise Party at Lorin.

Mrs. Shinebarger was tendered a surprise party at her residence on King street, in Lorin, on Saturday evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Stapp, Miss Stapp, Mr. and Mrs. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien, Mr. Hennessy, Mr. and Mrs. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Waite and others.

The Merry Makers.

About twenty members of [illegible] of young people of [illegible] met at the Y. M. C. A. H. where they formed what is known as the Merry Makers Social Club. They have [illegible] a large variety of games, and have [illegible] Last Friday evening was devoted to [illegible] of [illegible] Lowe's residence, on the corner of [illegible] and Twenty-fourth streets, where a most pleasant evening was spent in the games of the club. After which the party adjourned to the dining room, where a delicious supper was served, after which dancing was resumed until the wee sma' hours. All who were present enjoyed the occasion, and departed, highly pleased with the success of the social and [illegible]. The following guests were present: Miss Nellie Page, Miss Tessie Olmsted, Miss Lizzie Hall, Miss Brunner, Miss Annie Levy, Miss Bender, Miss Etta Green, Miss Katie May, Miss Annie Page, Miss Maggie Monroe, Miss Sarah Brunner, Miss Louise Page, Miss [illegible] Page, Miss Etta Lansden, Miss Ella Chisholm, Miss Laura DeRoda, Miss Lizzie Lansden, Miss Ada B. Page, Miss Annie May, Miss Rose Hickens, Miss B. [illegible], Miss Ida [illegible], Miss Lawrence, Miss May, Miss May, Miss A. Lawrence, Miss Van Dexter, Messrs. [illegible], Al White, George [illegible], Ernest Woodward, [illegible], Robert Chabot, George H. [illegible], Will Lansden, George [illegible], Andrew Pearson, Alex [illegible], March [illegible], Fred Dillon, George [illegible], W. Page, Edward [illegible], Wheeler Alexander [illegible], John H. [illegible], Harry Thompson, M. E. Ba[illegible], Vincent, Arthur Perry, Ned Jose, James Gallagher.

Surprise on Thirteenth street.

The many friends of Fred Stockfleth were delightfully surprised last Friday evening by a surprise party at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Stokfleth, Thirteenth street, Thursday evening last. The young people made merry till late in dancing to the excellent music provided, chatting, and other amusements. Refreshments were then served, after which the merriment was resumed. Those present were: Miss Nellie Henderson of Los Angeles, Miss Ione Vere of San Francisco, Miss Grace Hitchcock, Miss Flora Merriam, Miss Dora Craig, Miss Louise Holbrook, Miss Irene Crane, Miss Josie Merriam, Miss Lulu McCarthy, Miss Reilley, Miss Stevenson, Miss Pearl Bolton, Miss Lou McCarthy, Miss Hattie Kimball, Messrs. J. Archibald, McCarthy, F. A. Jacobs, F. Russell, Stevenson, B. Webster, Louie Masson, I. V. Yeadlove, Shannlin, Kimball, and F. Tripp.

Coming Events.

The Elite Social Club will give an autograph party at Cavalry Hall tomorrow night.

Company C, Third Infantry Regiment, N. G. C., Captain Henry Levy commanding, will give a hop at their armory, corner Twelfth and Franklin streets, tomorrow night.

The Oakland Cotillion Club will give a german at Hancock Hall, corner Twelfth and Franklin streets, on Friday evening next.

The first anniversary of the Elite Social Club will be celebrated with a masquerade at Cavalry Hall on Christmas eve, December 24th.

Albion and Delphi Lodges, Sons of St. George, will give an entertainment and ball on Tuesday evening next.

The Merchants' Carnival will be given at Hancock Hall on Thursday evening next by the Ladies of Appomattox Relief Corps, No. 5.

The Jewish Ladies' Relief Society of this city contemplate giving a fair in the vestry rooms of the Synagogue on or about the middle of January, 1890.

The wedding of Miss Annie Pope of Berkeley and Charles Herlitz of Oakland will take place in Tuesday evening next at the residence of the bride's parents at the corner of Delaware and Louisa streets.

Gossip.

W. H. J. Mathews has returned from a visit to relatives in the East.

Miss Lillie F. Hewes has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in Stockton.

Miss Sadie Blakie of West Oakland started yesterday by the Oregon express for Tacoma.

Harry L. Rosenberg, son of N. Rosenberg of this city, will arrive here from Australia on the steamer Alameda, which is due next week.

O. T. Wilson has returned to Oakland and will reside here permanently. He has been living in Amador county during the past year.

City Electrician Carlson has returned from a week's trip to the northern part of the State where he went on business.

OPERATOR KENNEY.

He Died From the Effects of His Injuries.

D. A. Kenney, the young telegraph operator who had his leg crushed at the West Oakland yards last week, died from the effects of his injuries on Friday morning. The leg was at first believed in the hope that it could be saved, but it was found necessary to amputate it, Friday morning, and on Saturday it was thought [illegible]. Telegrams were sent to his relatives in Peoria, Kansas, as soon as the accident occurred, as it was feared that he could not survive. A telegram was received from his sister saying that they would arrive in Oakland the next day. The funeral took place on the grounds of the deceased and was held by Coroner Mehrten, by which time they were in charge of the relatives for interment. The deceased was a son of ex-Judge Kenney of Kansas and was a cousin of Mrs. Myers, who is well known in Oakland. He was 24 years of age and unmarried. He was a sufferer from a lung disease and had lived in Oakland for some months, and after her death decided to return to California.

SUN AND TIDE TABLE.

	H.W. Sun'd.	L.W. Sun'd.	H.W. Mer.	L.W. Mer.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets
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STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

TO ARRIVE.

NAME.	FROM.	DATE.
City of Peking	Victoria	Dec. 9
Coos Bay	Coos Bay	Dec. 9
San Juan	Portland	Dec. 10

TO DEPART.

NAME.	TO.	DATE.
Walla Walla	Victoria	Dec. 9
Eureka	San Pedro & Ensenada	Dec. 9
City of Chester	Port Gamble	Dec. 9
San Jose	Panama	Dec. 9
Gaelic	China & Japan	Dec. 9
Arcadia	Santa Cruz	Dec. 9
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Stmr Coos Bay, Smith, 36 hours from Coos Bay, pass and mdse, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Stmr Gipsy, Plummer, 48 hours from Santa Cruz, pass and mdse, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Stmr Santa Cruz, Kennedy, 8 hours from Pescadero, pass and mdse, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Stmr Walla Walla, Wallace, 48 hours from Victoria, pass and mdse, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Stmr Gaelic, Thomson, 9 days from Coos Bay, lumber, to Simpson Lumber Co.

Ger bkt Lorina, Hansen, 25 days from Port Gamble, lumber, to M. Herrick.

Sailed.

SUNDAY, December 8.

Stmr Mexico, Dollman, Astoria.

Stmr Corona, Jeffers, Los Vegas.

Stmr Newport, Anderson.

NOTICE.—For hot [illegible] see advertisement under the proper heading.

BORN.

RENO—In Berkeley, November 29, to the wife of E. Reno, a daughter.

HATCH—In Oakland, November 25, to the wife of Thomas A. Hatch, a daughter.

FITZSIMMONS—In San Francisco, December 1, to the wife of James Fitzsimmons, a son.

HURWITZ—In San Francisco, December 5, to the wife of D. Hurwitz, a son.

ALVANDER—In Lower Lake, December 1, to the wife of S. A. Alvander, a daughter.

DONAVENT—In San Francisco, December 6, to the wife of A. Donavent, a son.

STOWELL—In San Francisco, December 6, to the wife of William Stowell, a son.

DORWARD—In San Francisco, December 4, to the wife of D. Dorward, a son.

BEAN—In San Francisco, November 25, to the wife of Owen Bean, a daughter.

MARRIED.

DONNELLY—CAIN—In this city, November 20, by the Rev. Thomas Messmer, D. D., Edward C. Donnelly to Ella M. Cain.

DUNAF—DOLAN—In San Francisco, November 26, by the Rev. Father Mahony, D. D., Thomas Dunaf to Mary H. Dolan.

RYNON—LAVERY—In San Francisco, November 27, Robert Rynon to Emma Lavery.

DIED.

RAE—In San Francisco, December 5, Alexandrina Rae, a native of Scotland, aged 1 year 6 months.

BROWN—In San Francisco, December 7, Ruth Brown, aged 11 years.

LOUGHLIN—In San Francisco, December 8, Mary Loughlin, a native of Canada, aged 27 years 11 months and 24 days.

MARSON—In San Francisco, December 8, Hector C. Marson, a native of Canada, aged 51 years and 1 month.

PENNELL—In San Francisco, December 8, Robert Pennell, aged 17 years.

BOYLE—In San Francisco, December 8, John Boyle, aged 68 years.

McVICKER—In San Francisco, December 8, Mary A. McVicker, a native of Ireland, aged 82 years.

MITCHELL—In San Francisco, December 8, Elizabeth A. Mitchell, a native of Massachusetts, aged 85 years, 1 month and 20 days.

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Monkeys and one Large Wilder.

A genuine monkeery in front of H. Schellhaas' store. Come and see them.

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BROOKS'S Candy and Ice Cream parlors have been renovated and decorated; give them a call; pure candies and ice cream soda: 1206 San Pablo avenue.

THE EMPIRE Little plated screw top on "TRAVERS" makes it the cheapest, most perfect, and most Reasonable Cold Toilet Exquisites.

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IMPROVEMENTS.

A few Wonderful Improvements Going on in Oakland.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Anybody holding tickets on horse cars, and labeled "DWYER," which was to take place on the November drawing of the Louisiana lottery, are notified that it has been withdrawn. Those holding tickets can have their money refunded by presenting them to H. Waite, 410 Eleventh street.

The Convenient Beefsteak.

Conveniently located on Telegraph avenue, at the corner of Seventeenth street, for those who go on the avenue, is the meat market of A. C. Reed, where may be had the finest steaks, roasts, and all kinds of fresh and salt meats. Mr. Reed is an experienced butcher, and knows just what will please his customers the most. His prices are the lowest and his stock the finest in the town. Give him a trial.

A Sensational Divorce.

Mrs Rose Rothwell, one of the upper ten, formerly of 229 Madison street, today began proceedings for a divorce from L. H. Rothwell, alleging transferred albums. In August he sold to Lyon & Company, the largest firm of auctioneers in Oakland, his elegant furniture for $625, and Mrs. Rothwell also sues to receive that amount and alimony from him.

Coal.

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SUFFERING FROM THE EFFECTS OF YOUTHFUL ERRORS, early decay, wasting weakness, lost manhood, etc., I will send a valuable treatise containing full particulars for a home cure FREE of charge. A scientific medical work; should be read by every man who is nervous or debilitated. Address, Prof. F. C. FOWLER, Moodus, Conn.

AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance to Provide for the Extermination and Destruction of Ground Squirrels in the County of Alameda, State of California.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF the County of Alameda, do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. Ground Squirrels infesting lands within the County of Alameda are hereby declared to be a public nuisance.

SECTION 2. All owners and occupants of lands within the County of Alameda are hereby required within ninety days after the taking effect of this ordinance to exterminate and destroy ground squirrels on their respective lands, and to prevent said lands from reinfestation.

SECTION 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall take effect on the 28th day of December, 1889.

RUFUS MORGAN, Chairman.

Attest: CHAS. T. BOARDMAN, Clerk.

Passed December 2nd, 1889, by the following Vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Barker, Brown, Martin, Pedrozo and Chairman Morgan.

Noes—None.

Endorsed.

Passed and filed Dec. 2d, 1889.

CHAS. T. BOARDMAN, County Clerk.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE county of Alameda, State of California. In the matter of the estate of Galen M. Fisher, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Galen M. Fisher, deceased, and for the issuance to Susan T. Fisher, "Donald" Fisher, and Oscar F. Sites of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 16th day of December, A.D. 1889, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of Department No. [illegible] of said court, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated Dec. 6th, 1889.

CHAS. T. BOARDMAN, Clerk,

By N. G. SHEPHERD, Deputy Clerk.

J. B. RICHARDSON, Attorney for Estate.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of DAVID LUNDY, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executrix of the last will and testament of David Lundy, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within two months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix at her residence, No. 911 East Twenty-fourth street (Highland Park), in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, which said place the undersigned selects as the place of business for all matters connected with said estate of David Lundy, deceased.

JEMIMA LUNDY,

Executrix of the last will and testament of David Lundy, deceased.

Dated Oakland, November 18th, 1889.

F. A. BERLIN, Attorney for Executrix, 420 Montgomery St., S. F.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

Home Mutual Insurance Co.

A DIVIDEND OF ONE PER CENT UPON the capital stock of this company having been declared, payable on and after December 10, 1889, stockholders residing in Alameda county can collect the same at the Alameda county branch office of the company, 900 Broadway.

HARRY B. HOUGHTON, Secretary Alameda County Branch.

Legal.

STATE

—AND—

County Taxes.

1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Roll for the County Taxes for the year 1889 is now in my hands for the collection of said taxes, and that I will be at my office, Room 1, City Hall, Oakland, every day, Sundays and holidays excepted, during office hours. That said taxes will be delinquent after 6 P.M. on Monday, December 30, 1889, and that unless paid prior thereto, there will be added to the amount thereof the legal charges.

That said taxes will be received at the following places and times:

MONDAY, December 30, 1889

JAS. B. BARBER,

Tax Collector of the City of Oakland.

Dated Oakland, Cal., December 9, 1889.

CITY TAXES

1889

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Assessment Roll for City Taxes for the year 1889 on all property within the City of Oakland has been delivered to me, and that I am now prepared to receive payment of said taxes. Office, City Hall, Oakland, every day, Sundays and holidays excepted, during office hours. That said taxes will be delinquent after 6 P.M. on Monday, December 30, 1889, and that unless paid prior thereto, there will be added to the amount thereof the legal charges.

Z. T. GILPIN,

Tax Collector of the City of Oakland.

Oakland, Cal., December 9, 1889.

ORDINANCE NO.

An Ordinance Providing for Fire Escapes for Buildings of Three or More Stories in Height.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL of the City of Oakland as follows:

[illegible]

Passed December 2, 1889.

Ayes—Messrs. Earl, Fitz, Wakefield, Collins, Towle, McFarlane, McAvoy, Hackett, Brickhead and Kirkham.

Noes—None.

Absent—President Cronin.

Attest: J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, Dec. 4, 1889.

Notice to Bondholders

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT bonds of Alameda county, numbers one hundred and ten (110) to one hundred and nineteen (119), both inclusive, issued by said county in 1885, under the provisions of chapter two, article two, title two, part four of the Political Code of California, are payable with accrued interest thereon, upon presentation to the Treasurer of said County, at his office in the Hall of Records building of said county, at the City of Oakland, and if said bonds are not presented for payment within forty days from the first publication hereof interest on said bonds will cease.

Dated at Oakland, November 29, 1889.

S. HUFF,

Treasurer of Alameda County, Cal.

Legal.

ORDINANCE NO. —.

An Ordinance Authorizing the Board of Public Works to Expend $4500 in the Repair of Eighth Street Bridge.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL of the City of Oakland as follows:

[illegible]

Passed December 2, 1889.

Ayes—Messrs. Earl, Fitz, Wakefield, Collins, Towle, McFarlane, McAvoy, Hackett, Brickhead and Kirkham—10.

Noes—None.

Absent—President Cronin.

Attest: J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, Dec. 4, 1889.

ORDINANCE NO. —.

An Ordinance Appropriating the Sum of $700 in Payment for One Thousand Feet of Fire Hose.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL of the City of Oakland as follows:

[illegible]

Passed December 2, 1889.

Ayes—Messrs. Earl, Fitz, Wakefield, Collins, Towle, McFarlane, McAvoy, Hackett, Brickhead and Kirkham—10.

Noes—None.

Absent—President Cronin.

Attest: J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, Dec. 4, 1889.

ORDINANCE NO. —.

An Ordinance Providing Specifications for the Construction of Sidewalks of Bituminous Rock.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL of the City of Oakland as follows:

[illegible]

Passed December 2, 1889.

Ayes—Messrs. Earl, Fitz, Wakefield, Collins, Towle, McFarlane, McAvoy, Hackett, Brickhead and Kirkham—10.

Noes—None.

Absent—President Cronin.

Attest: J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, Dec. 4, 1889.

ORDINANCE NO. —.

Providing for the Expenditure of Not to Exceed Thirty-seven Hundred ($3700) Dollars for the Purchase of Supplies for the Fire Department.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL of the City of Oakland as follows:

SECTION 1. The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to expend not to exceed thirty-seven hundred dollars, or such portion thereof as may be necessary, in the purchase of one chemical engine, having two tanks of forty each, two horses, one set of

A CONTEST PROMISED.

Bequests to Catholic Priests May Be Set Aside.

An Only Son Who Does Not Appear be Satisfied With His Mother's Will.

Public Administrator James Stanley has applied for letters of administration with will annexed on the estate of Winifred Curtis, deceased. The estate is valued at $800. The deceased in her will bequeaths to her son, George J. Curtis, a life estate in the property on seventh street, near Union, in case he shall remain single, and in the event that he shall marry, then it shall go to him absolutely on her decease. Other bequests are made as follows: to John H. Boyle, nephew, New York, certain real property; to Patrick W. Riordan, Archbishop, $2500 for his own use and benefit; to her sister, Kate Sullivan $800; to Rev. Michael King $100; to George Boyle of Massachusetts, $500; to Winifred Boyle of Massachusetts $500; to Edward Boyle of Massachusetts $500; to John H. Boyle, $500; to Rev. J. B. McNally, $100; to Thomas Carrol of San Francisco, $500; to J. B. McNally, the residue of her estate, in trust for her son. J. B. McNally and B. McFadden, named as executors, have renounced their right to act. Mr. McFadden, however, is attorney for the estate.

In the meantime a petition for letters of administration on the estate of the husband of the deceased had been pending, and this matter came up for hearing this morning. A few days ago a brother of Mrs. Curtis arrived from the East, and as he had not been remembered in the will, of course he did not feel happy upon hearing its provisions. In the will Rev. McNaly is named as guardian of young Curtis, who is only 13 years of age. The parties interested in the case were therefore somewhat surprised this morning when the brother appeared in court and showed that he had been appointed guardian of the boy in San Francisco and objected on behalf of the heir to the hearing of the petition for letters of administration on his father's estate. The boy wants the uncle as guardian while the will appoints Father McNally as guardian. However, it is stated that it is the intention of the brother to contest the will, on the ground that while Mrs. Curtis was on her dying bed, she being too weak to do it herself, asked her sister, Mrs. Sullivan, to tear up her will, which was then lying by her side. The dying woman's request was not granted. Such is the allegation. Should the will be defeated the son will become sole heir, and the priests will not receive any of the bequests. The contest promises to be very lively one owing to the fact that there are so many beneficiaries under the will.

WRIT OF MANDATE.

Who Has the Right to Pave Eighth Street.

The case of J. A. Fairchild against Jesse Wall, Street Superintendent, for a writ of mandate to compel the latter to sign a contract and bond for paving Eighth street, between Franklin and Washington streets, is being argued before Judge Gibson this afternoon. Many technical legal points have been raised by the attorneys on both sides.

ALAMEDA.

Lost His Toe—A Little Romance.

The ordinance requiring the registration of plumbers with the Board of Health will come up for adoption at the meeting of the City Trustees this evening.

The session of the San Francisco Presbytery will commence this evening in the Presbyterian Church, corner of Central and Versailles avenues. The opening sermon will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Easton, the new pastor of Cavalry Church, San Francisco.

Joe Hooker Post, No. 11, Grand Army of the Republic, has elected the following officers for the ensuing term: Post Commander, E. L. Hutton; Senior Vice Commander, J. C. Linderman; Quartermaster, John Ellsworth; Guard, A. R. Hamlin; Officer of the Day, George S. Ames; Post Surgeon, E. B. Dunning. John Meyers was elected Delegate to the State Convention at San Jose next February.

A. W. Russ, 20 years of age, a bookkeeper, boarded the Santa Cruz train at Park street yesterday, thinking that it was the local, as he intended to get off at High street to go to his home on Briggs avenue. When he saw that the train would not stop he jumped off, and was thrown under the cars. A wheel passed over the foot of his left leg, taking off his big toe and a portion of his heel. He was removed to his home on Briggs avenue.

Frank Dubois, a young brakeman on the Oakland local, is having a little love romance in this city. Some months ago he was employed on the Alameda local, and among the girls who rode on his train was May Applegate. A strong tie of affection sprung up between the two, and their cooing was done on the trains. It is now said that they are to be wedded, but there is an obstacle in the way. They are not old enough to assume the responsibilities of wedded life without the consent of their parents. Dubois has not reached his majority and the young miss is no more than 15 years of age. The intensity of their love, however, as displayed on the local trains both in Alameda and Oakland has caused more than one passenger to smile.

Big Bullfrogs.

Chili Correspondence Leather Review.

"As to the Chilian workmen, they are not herculean, and the tools they use are exceedingly primitive. I met recently with a serious disaster. I was flooded out by the carelessness of the government, and I received no compensation from them because I was a foreigner. After the waters had vacated my store all I found was six bullfrogs, but of a very large size. The smallest weighed over a pound. After putting to death these furious animals I tanned their skins, which made very supple leather, and then manufactured them into purses and sold them at some profit. This is all I recovered from the flood. Articles made from the skins of these frogs are easily sold, and since then I have bought a number of frog skins, which we call here little elephants, and it is my intention to make a regular business trading in these skins, for it is very easy to make out of them portfolios and purses."

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Name.	Residence.	Age.
Manuel Borges	Niles	31
Mary Theresa Lawrence	Oakland	20
Daniel Farnell	San Francisco	58
Blanche E. Leonard	Berkeley	32
Walter Augustus Thomas	Livermore	21
Tillie Graham	Haywards	20
Joseph William Browne	East Oakland	21
Katie Lena Leary	Alameda	18
Moses Wallace Henderson	San Francisco	45
Ellen Browne	San Francisco	36

Stratton's Deed

James T. Stratton has deeded to J. S. Derby twelve acres of marsh land in East Oakland, near Clinton.

THE BILL POSTERS.

Proceedings of the Coast Association's Annual Convention.

Officers Elected—A San Francisco Agency to Be Established—Some History.

The Pacific Coast Billposters' Association held its meeting on Saturday afternoon after THE TRIBUNE's press hour. Vice President G. A. Buxton of Visalia occupied the chair, and the following new officers were elected: George A. Buxton, President; Edward Glendenning, Vice President; A. W. Stilwell, Secretary. It was decided to start an agency in San Francisco where parties could have billposting done in any town in which there was a member of the association.

Representatives were present from all the most important cities in California and Oregon. The following applicants for membership were balloted for and duly elected members of the association: Isaac Perry of The Dalles, Or., Bullis and Bungus of Colton, Cal., and Gus H. Sherard of Ventura.

The proposition to establish a permanent agency in San Francisco was discussed at length, the object being to have a central bureau at that point where advertisers may arrange for bill posting in all the cities on the coast, as well as obtain such valuable information as may be required of the different cities and towns in California, Oregon and Washington. It was decided to open such a bureau at once, and on motion of Mr. Glendenning of Woodland, A. W. Stilwell of this city was authorized to establish a permanent agency in San Francisco for the association. An effort will be made to have W. H. McAllister of 215 Front street take charge of the agency.

W. A. Caswell of Sacramento suggested that 100 cards be printed containing the names and business addresses of the members of the association, together with information regarding the different cities in which they were located, for the guidance of the members and their patrons. The proposition met with favor, and the secretary was ordered to prepare them.

Other business of importance was transacted, and the association adjourned to meet again at Oakland on Friday, December 5, 1890. The Pacific Coast Billposters' Association was formed in San Francisco in 1887, with ten charter members, they being D. S. Vernon of San Francisco, W. A. Caswell of Sacramento, A. W. Stilwell of Oakland, D. M. Pease of Stockton, W. H. Lee of Santa Rosa, W. J. Stafford of Santa Barbara, Charles Levensaler of Napa, Mr. Daunt of Modesto, George Spencer of Livermore, and G. F. Peters of Santa Ana.

The objects of the association being to promote business and to protect the interests of its advertisers. Since then the association has grown until at present it has a membership of thirty-three bill posters from all over the coast.

Tenth Avenue Improvers.

W. C. Harrington, G. E. Yates and others ask the City Council to order a cement sidewalk six feet wide, in the east side of Tenth avenue, from East Twelfth street to East Eighteenth street.

THE DEATH RECORD.

December 5th—Libbie Gardiner, aged 11 years, a native of Oakland, residence 524 Jones street; cause of death, typhoid fever.

December 6th—Mary McDonald, aged 52 years, a native of Canada, residence 731 Linden street; cause of death, pneumonia.

December 6th—Filemena Francisco Pedro, aged 9 months, a native of Oakland, residence, East Twelfth street and Sixteenth avenue; cause of death, capillary bronchitis.

December 6th—Michael Bradshaw, aged 36 years, a native of Ireland, residence 817 Castro street; cause of death, phthisis.

December 6th—Isadore Cavasso, aged 64 years, a native of Italy, residence 1205 West street; cause of death, pneumonia.

December 6th—William S. Kidmore Baldwin Jr., a native of New York, aged 8 years, residence 1422 Eighth street; cause of death, inflamatory rheumatism.

December 7th—A. K. Crozier, aged 27 years, a native of Nova Scotia, residence Powning, Contra Costa County; cause of death, pneumonia.

December 6th—Joseph Lewis, aged 1 year, a native of Oakland, residence 1372 Seventeenth street; cause of death, cholera infantum.

December 3d—John M. Berling, aged 39 years, a native of Germany, residence 1111 Eleventh avenue; cause of death, peritonitis.

December 5th—Ezra Stone Marvin, aged 6 days, a native of Oakland, residence 503 Seventeenth street; cause of death, cyanosis.

December 7th—Stephen D. Cronin, aged 46 years, a native of Ireland, residence 1814 Grove street; cause of death, acute phthisis.

December 6th—I. Cornelius Reid, aged 42 years, a native of Germany, residence San Francisco; cause of death brain fever.

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SAN FRANCISCO, December 9.

50 Alpha Con	1 16	100 Grand Prize	40
100 Alta	1 60	100 Justice	1 55
100 Andes	15	100 L Washington	30
100 Bodie	55	200 NevQueen	80
250 Challenge	2 15	100 Peerless	20
25 Commonwh	2 00	120 Savage	1 80
5 C C & Va	5 75	150 Sierra Nev	2 50
100 Crocker	50	200 Union Con	2 90
100 Crown Point	2 00	200 W. Comstock	25

Notice of Street Work.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ON the 2d day of December A. D. 1889, the City Council of the City of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention number 14,531, to order the following street work to be done, viz. That Twenty-first street, from the easterly line of Telegraph avenue to the westerly line of Broadway, be graded, curbed, and macadamized to the official line and grade; also to be sewered with a vitrified ironstone pipe from a point 75 feet east of said line of Telegraph avenue to the sewer in said Broadway, and have brick and iron ventilating manholes and "Y" branches constructed thereon; and also to have raised to grade all catchbasins and manholes within its intersection with Broadway.

For further particulars reference is hereby made to said resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in THE DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, December 9, 1889.

J. S. WALL,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland.

Notice of Street Work

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ON the 2d day of December, A. D. 1889, the City Council of the City of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention number 14,532 to order the following street work to be done, viz.: That Twenty-second or Walnut street, from the easterly line of Valley street to the westerly line of Franklin street, be graded, curbed, and macadamized (second class) to the official line and grade, and have raised to grade all catchbasins and manholes within its crossing with Broadway.

For further particulars reference is hereby made to said resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in THE DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, December 9, 1889.

J. S. WALL,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland.

Notice of Street Work.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ON the 2d day of December, A. D. 1889, the City Council of the City of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention number 14,530 to order the following street work to be done, viz.: That Fifth street, from the sewer line of Madison street to the sewer about to be constructed in Oak street, be sewered with a vitrified ironstone pipe and have brick and iron ventilating manholes and "Y" branches constructed thereon.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said resolution and specifications for sewer work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in THE DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, December 9, 1889.

J. S. WALL,
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Club No. 3	Member No. 26
Club No. 4	Member No. 22
Club No. 5	Member No. 50
Club No. 6	Member No. 31
Club No. 7	Member No. 13
Club No. 8	Member No. 44
Club No. 9	Member No. 52
Club No. 10	Member No. 26
Club No. 11	Member No. 42
Club No. 12	Member No. 41
Club No. 13	Member No. 27
Club No. 14	Member No. 10
Club No. 15	Member No. 37
Club No. 16	Member No. 81
Club No. 17	Member No. 35
Club No. 18	Member No. 16
Club No. 19	Member No. 25
Club No. 20	Member No. 48
Club No. 21	Member No. 27
Club No. 22	Member No. 36
Club No. 23	Member No. 30
Club No. 24	Member No. 16
Club No. 25	Member No. 31
Club No. 26	Member No. 45
Club No. 27	Member No. 64
Club No. 28	Member No. 7
Club No. 29	Member No. 44
Club No. 30	Member No. 27
Club No. 31	Member No. 15
Club No. 32	Member No. 2
Club No. 33	Member No. 12
Club No. 34	Member No. 42
Club No. 35	Member No. 11
Club No. 36	Member No. 7
Club No. 37	Member No. 27
Club No. 38	Member No. 8
Club No. 39	Member No. 2
Club No. 40	Member No. 52
Club No. 41	Member No. 2
Club No. 42	Member No. 10
Club No. 43	Member No. 9
Club No. 44	Member No. 30
Club No. 45	Member No. 30
Club No. 46	Member No. 8
Club No. 47	Member No. 31
Club No. 48	Member No. 5
Club No. 49	Member No. 2
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